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## ABSTRACT

After a brief introduction on the parameter plane methods, the behavior of simple systems with time delay has been initially studied by the root-loci method and then the state of the art of parameter plane methods with time delay has been presented.

A variation of the solution in the state of the art presentation has been derived and an appropriate digital computer program has been constructed. As an extension of studies in the parameter plane, a three variable parameter system has been approached by using basic descriptive geometry properties and simple illustrative examples have been worked out in the parameter space.

Finally, a real life system with time delay has been analysed and redesigned by parameter plane methods.



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## I. BASIC PARAMETER PLANE TECHNIQUES

### A. GENERAL

Parameter plane techniques are algebraic methods designed to study the behavior of linear systems through their characteristic equation, when two of their parameters are adjustable. So in fact they are an extension of the Root-Locus technique where only one of the parameters of the system is adjusted to meet any desired performance requirements.

### B. SILJAK'S APPROACH

Parameter plane techniques have been at first studied by Mitrovic who considered that the parameter variations directly affected two of the coefficients of the system's characteristic equation.

Then Siljak extended Mitrovic's work by including variations on the system's parameters " $\alpha$ " and " $\beta$ " which appeared linearly in one or more of the coefficients of the characteristic equation, which was of the form:

$$F(s) = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k s^k = 0 \quad (I-1)$$

$$\text{where } a_k = b_k \alpha + c_k \beta + d_k \quad (I-1a)$$

with  $b_i, c_i, d_i$  constant and real

and  $\alpha, \beta$  variable and real.

Curves obtained in the  $\alpha, \beta$  plane are called parameter plane curves and they provide information about the roots of the system's characteristic equation in a similar way to root loci.



Siljak's work can be summarized in its goals as follows:

First make an appropriate substitution for  $s$  in equation (I-1). This substitution must be in terms of  $\zeta$  and  $\omega_n$ , or  $\sigma$  and  $\omega$ , or in general in terms of quantities one wants to study.

Second step is to separate the result of equation (I-1) after the substitution is made, into real and imaginary parts thereby obtaining two equations in  $\alpha, \beta, \zeta, \omega$  and the constants of the system.

Finally, one solves for  $\alpha, \beta$  in terms of  $\zeta$  and  $\omega$ . If, for example, one fixes  $\zeta = \zeta_0$  and varies  $\omega$  over the range  $0 < \omega < \infty$ , one will obtain in the  $\alpha$ - $\beta$  plane the necessary relation between  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  in order to have a complex root pair of damping ratio  $\zeta = \zeta_0$  (a constant  $\zeta$  curve). If, on the other hand, one fixes  $\omega = \omega_0$  and varies  $\zeta$  over the range  $-1 < \zeta < 1$ , one will obtain a constant omega curve denoting the necessary  $\alpha$ - $\beta$  relation to provide a complex root pair of natural frequency  $\omega = \omega_0$ . Siljak used the following substitution in order to study constant  $\zeta$  and constant  $\omega$  curves:

$$s^k = \omega^k \left[ T_k(\zeta) + j \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} U_k(\zeta) \right] \quad (I-2)$$

where  $U_k$  and  $T_k$  are Chebyshev functions of the first and second kind respectively, given by the following recursive relations and initial conditions:

$$\begin{aligned} T_{k+1} - 2\zeta T_k(\zeta) + T_{k-1}(\zeta) &= 0 \\ U_{k+1} - 2\zeta U_k(\zeta) + U_{k-1}(\zeta) &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad (I-3)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} T_0(\zeta) &= 1 & U_0(\zeta) &= 0 \\ T_1(\zeta) &= \zeta & U_1(\zeta) &= 1 \end{aligned} \quad \text{and} \quad (I-4)$$





It is to be noted that:

$$\begin{aligned} T_k(-\zeta) &= (-1)^k T_k(\zeta) \\ U_k(-\zeta) &= (-1)^{k+1} U_k(\zeta) \end{aligned} \quad (I-5)$$

In the second step after substituting equation (I-2), [considering also the results of equations (I-3) to (I-5)], into equation (I-1), Siljak obtained:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=0}^n (-1)^k a_k \omega^k U_{k-1}(\zeta) &= 0 \quad \text{and} \\ \sum_{k=0}^n (-1)^k a_k \omega^k U_k(\zeta) &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad (I-6)$$

$$\text{where } a_k = b_k \alpha + c_k \beta + d_k \quad (I-1a)$$

So finally:

$$\begin{aligned} B_1 \alpha + C_1 \beta &= -D_1 \\ B_2 \alpha + C_2 \beta &= -D_2 \end{aligned} \quad (I-7)$$

from which:

$$\alpha = \frac{C_1 D_2 - C_2 D_1}{B_1 C_2 - B_2 C_1} \quad \beta = \frac{B_2 D_1 - B_1 D_2}{B_1 C_2 - B_2 C_1} \quad (I-8)$$

where:

$$\begin{aligned} B_1 &= \sum_{k=0}^n (-1)^k b_k \omega^k U_{k-1} & B_2 &= \sum_{k=0}^n (-1)^k b_k \omega^k U_k \\ C_1 &= \sum_{k=0}^n (-1)^k c_k \omega^k U_{k-1} & C_2 &= \sum_{k=0}^n (-1)^k c_k \omega^k U_k \\ D_1 &= \sum_{k=0}^n (-1)^k d_k \omega^k U_{k-1} & D_2 &= \sum_{k=0}^n (-1)^k d_k \omega^k U_k \end{aligned}$$

The study for conditions in the  $\alpha$ - $\beta$  plane giving a real root at  $s = \sigma$ , was much easier. In fact, by substituting  $s = \sigma$  in equation (I-1),



Siljak obtained

$$\sum_{k=0}^n a_k \sigma^k = 0 \quad (\text{I-9})$$

which by using (I-1a), led to:

$$\alpha \sum_{k=0}^n b_k \sigma^k + \beta \sum_{k=0}^n c_k \sigma^k + \sum_{k=0}^n d_k \sigma^k = 0$$

which is the equation of a straight line in the  $\alpha$ - $\beta$  plane, for given " $\sigma$ ".

Details on this work can be found in reference [1].

### C. HOLLISTER'S WORK

In section 4 of reference [2] Hollister obtained parameter plane equations for a system with characteristic equation of the form of equation (I-9), with:

$$\alpha_k = b_k A + c_k B + d_k AB + f_k \quad (\text{I-10})$$

His solution for constant " $\omega_n$ " and " $Z$ " curves was obtained by simultaneously solving two equations of the form:

$$\begin{aligned} B_1 A + C_1 B + D_1 AB + F_1 &= 0 \\ B_2 A + C_2 B + D_2 AB + F_2 &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad (\text{I-11})$$

where  $B_i$ ,  $C_i$ ,  $D_i$ ,  $F_i$ , with  $i = [1, 2]$ , are functions of " $\omega_n$ " and " $\zeta$ ", as well as of the first and second kind Tchebychef functions  $T_k(\zeta)$  and  $U_k(\zeta)$ .

### D. PRACTICAL CONSIDERATIONS (AN INDICATION)

Although the concepts governing analysis and synthesis of feedback control systems, once established are quite straightforward, there is some difficulty in making an appropriate selection of the range of A and B parameter values to be used in the digital computer program.

Some practical ways for defining a set of approximate ranges of the parameter values for use in the first run of a parameter plane computer program, are presented in section V.



## II. SYSTEMS WITH TIME DELAY -- A RESUME

The purpose of this section is two-fold:

First: To introduce the reader to the State of the Art of analysis for systems with transport lag.

Second: To define the objectives of the work presented in this thesis.

Since stability analysis will be treated separately in a later section, items concerning this subject are not included here.

### A. THE TRANSPORT LAG - AN INTRODUCTION

1. The existence of a time delay effect associated with any system, linear or non-linear, is inevitable since the working signal (command or information), needs a certain period of time to travel through and reach the output. So if a signal  $r(t)$  is applied in the input of one of the most elementary systems, as shown in figure 2-1, the output  $c(t)$  will be in general equal to:

$$c(t) = Kr(t - \tau) \quad (\text{II-1})$$

where  $\tau$  is a time interval associated with the equivalent length of the system " $\ell$ " and the average speed  $\bar{u}$  of the signal through the device.

Specifically:

$$\tau = \frac{\ell}{\bar{u}} \quad (\text{II-1a})$$

There are of course cases when the dimensions of the system and the speed of the signal are such to imply a negligible time delay effect as for example in the actual lumped A.C. circuitry where the wavelength of the signal is large compared with the dimensions of the circuit-system.



*SIMPLE LINEAR  
GAIN SYSTEM  
IN  $T$ -DOMAIN*

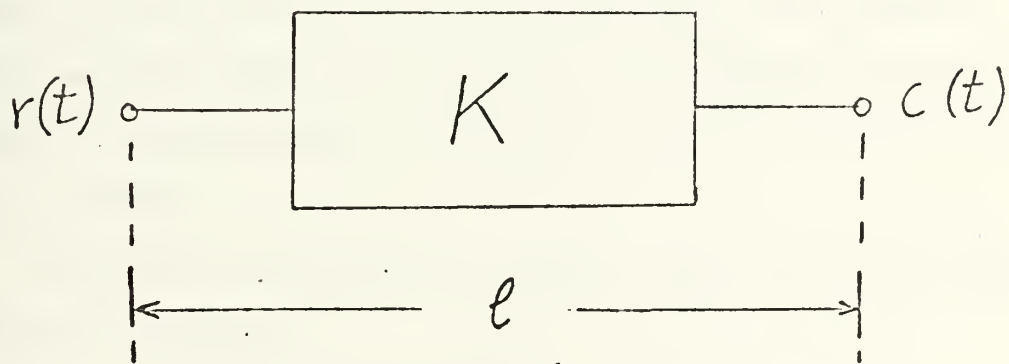


FIGURE 2-1





But there are also other cases when the time delay effect is important and should be taken into consideration.

In such a case one can define a system in the s-domain, equivalent to the one of figure 2-1 by Laplace-transforming equation (II-1):

$$C(s) = K \left( R(s) e^{-\tau s} \right) = \left( K e^{-\tau s} \right) R(s)$$

$$\text{or } \frac{C(s)}{R(s)} = K e^{-\tau s} \quad (\text{II-2})$$

2. After this presentation one can define the time-delay effect as "the physical phenomenon of finite time spent by a signal travelling through a finite system." For each combination of signal and system there is associated a time delay constant " $\tau$ " which denotes the time necessary for this travel.

#### B. THE EFFECTS OF TRANSPORT LAG ON A SIMPLE LINEAR SYSTEM

Before the State of the Art in analyzing systems with transport lag in the parameter plane is discussed, it is interesting to observe the results of this time delay in a simple system by use of conventional methods of analysis.

1. Consider, for example, the system of figure 2-1a, with transfer functions as follows:

$$\text{a. Open loop: } GH = \frac{K}{S(S+1)}$$

$$\text{b. Closed loop: } \frac{C}{R} = \frac{K}{S^2 + S + K}$$

From the root locus analysis of this system as shown in figure 2-1b, a pair of roots at  $Z = .707$  and  $\omega_n = .707$  is derived for  $K = \frac{1}{2}$ .

2. In figure 2-2 the same system is shown with the exception that a time delay is now present in the forward path and the transfer function changes to:



# SIMPLE DELAY-FREE SYSTEM AND ITS R. LOCUS

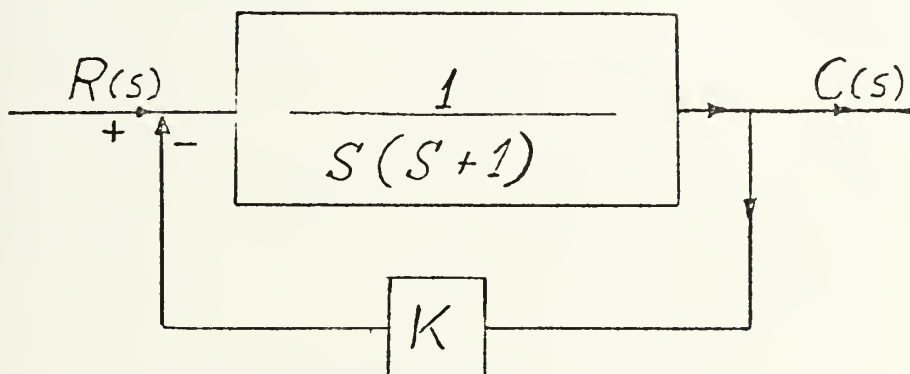


FIGURE 2-1a

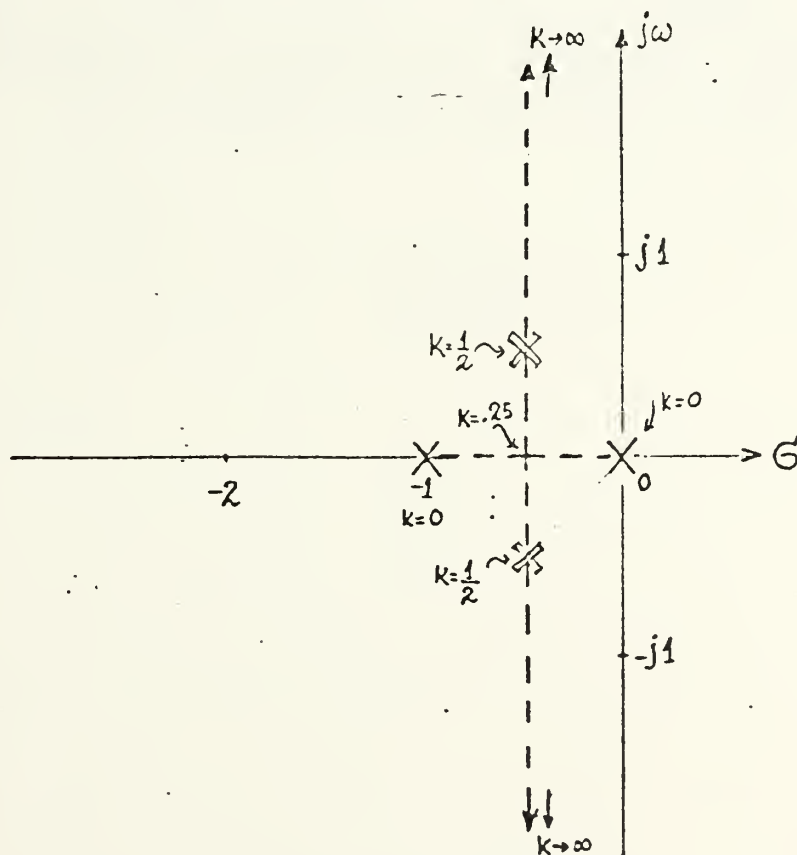


FIGURE 2-1b



BLOCK DIAGRAM FOR  
T-DELAY INCLUDED

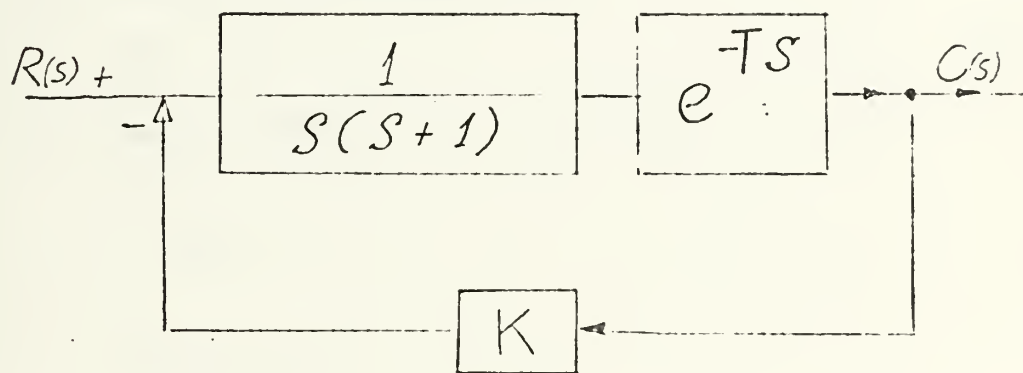


FIGURE 2-2



$$a. \text{ Open loop: } GH = \frac{K}{S(S+1)} e^{-\tau S} \quad (\text{II-3a})$$

$$b. \text{ Closed loop: } \frac{C}{R} = \frac{K e^{-\tau S}}{S^2 + S + K e^{-\tau S}} \quad (\text{II-3b})$$

In trying to apply the root-locus analysis technique one is faced with the first difficulty since,

$$GH = \frac{K}{S(S+1)e^{Ts}}$$

has an infinite number of roots, as the series expansion of  $e^{Ts}$  implies.

3. There are a number of approximation techniques one can apply to overcome this difficulty as mentioned below:

a. For small  $T$  and low frequency,

$$e^{sT} = 1 + sT \quad (\text{II-4})$$

b. From the fact that

$$e = \lim_{v \rightarrow \infty} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{v} \right)^v$$

and

$$e^{-\alpha} = \lim_{v \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\alpha}{v}} \right)^v$$

one can approximate:

$$e^{-sT} = \left( \frac{1}{1 + \frac{sT}{v}} \right)^v \quad \text{if } v \text{ is sufficiently large. In}$$

order to have an intuitive feeling of how large  $v$  should be for acceptable results, note that  $(1 + 1/10)^{10} = 2.6$  producing a deviation of 4.4% from  $e = 2.72$ . So, any  $v < 4$  will produce too crude an approximation since  $(1 + \frac{1}{4})^4 = 2.44$ , and  $2.44 \div 2.72 = 9\%$ .

c. In the case where both the frequency and  $T$  are too large to neglect in the expansion of  $e^{-Ts}$ , it is possible to approximate the





time delay term by the ratio of two polynomials in "s" yielding to a certain order of terms identical with those contained in the series. That is,

$$e^{-Ts} = F_{a,b}(T \cdot s) = \frac{N_{a,b}(+Ts)}{D_{a,b}(+Ts)}$$

where "a" and "b" are the order of the numerator and denominator polynomials. So since

$$e^{-Ts} = 1 - Ts + \frac{T^2}{2} \cdot s^2 - \frac{T^3}{6} \cdot s^3 + \frac{T^4}{24} \cdot s^4 - \dots$$

if third order terms can be neglected, it can be shown by straightforward division and a series of comparisons with the series terms that a convenient approximation is the following:

$$e^{-Ts} = \frac{1 + \lambda_1 s + \lambda_2 s^2}{1 + \mu_1 s} = \frac{1 - 3/4(Ts) + T^2/4(s^2)}{1 + T/4(s)}$$

These are the basic features of the so-called "Padé Approximation Technique." In appendix A the most often used approximations are listed (degree of higher order polynomial equal to 12). In this introductory study of time delay effects the Padé approximation will be selected as the most accurate. From appendix A then,

$$e^{-(Ts)} = F_{4,4}(Ts) = \frac{N_{4,4}(Ts)}{D_{4,4}(Ts)} = \frac{1680 - 840Ts + 180T^2s^2 - 20T^3s^3 + T^4s^4}{1680 + 840Ts + 180T^2s^2 + 20T^3s^3 + T^4s^4},$$

and by use of this approximation the closed loop transfer function of the system becomes:

$$\frac{C}{R} = \frac{K \cdot N_{4,4}(Ts)}{(s^2 + s)D_{4,4}(Ts) + K \cdot N_{4,4}(Ts)} \quad (\text{II-5})$$



4. The root loci of this system have been plotted for four different values of  $T$  by use of a digital computer, as the following table indicates:

TABLE 2-1

$T = 0$	Figure 2-1b
$T = .1$	Figure 2-2a, 2-3a
$T = .2$	Figure 2-2b, 2-3b
$T = .3$	Figure 2-2c, 2-3c
$T = 1.0$	Figure 2-2d, 2-3d

It should be noted that the Padé approximation introduces in general, roots in the system which all-together do not disturb seriously the dominant roots near the origin. Data on the characteristic equation resulting for each of the above " $T$ 's" are shown in Table A2 of Appendix A.

#### 5. Partial Conclusions

a. A careful observation of figures 2-1b, 2-2, 2-3, and Table 2-1 shows some of the effects of the existence of transport lag in the linear system under consideration, namely:

(1) With the insertion of time delay in the system the segment of the root locus parallel to the  $j\omega$  axis doesn't exist, but with increasing time delay constant the corresponding segment is bent analogously toward the  $j\omega$  axis. In other words the system becomes unstable.

(2) As a consequence the  $K_{\max}$  of the system which maintains absolute stability is decreased with increasing time delay.

(3) It is also obvious (Table 2-2), that the relative stability is reduced with increasing time delay constant.



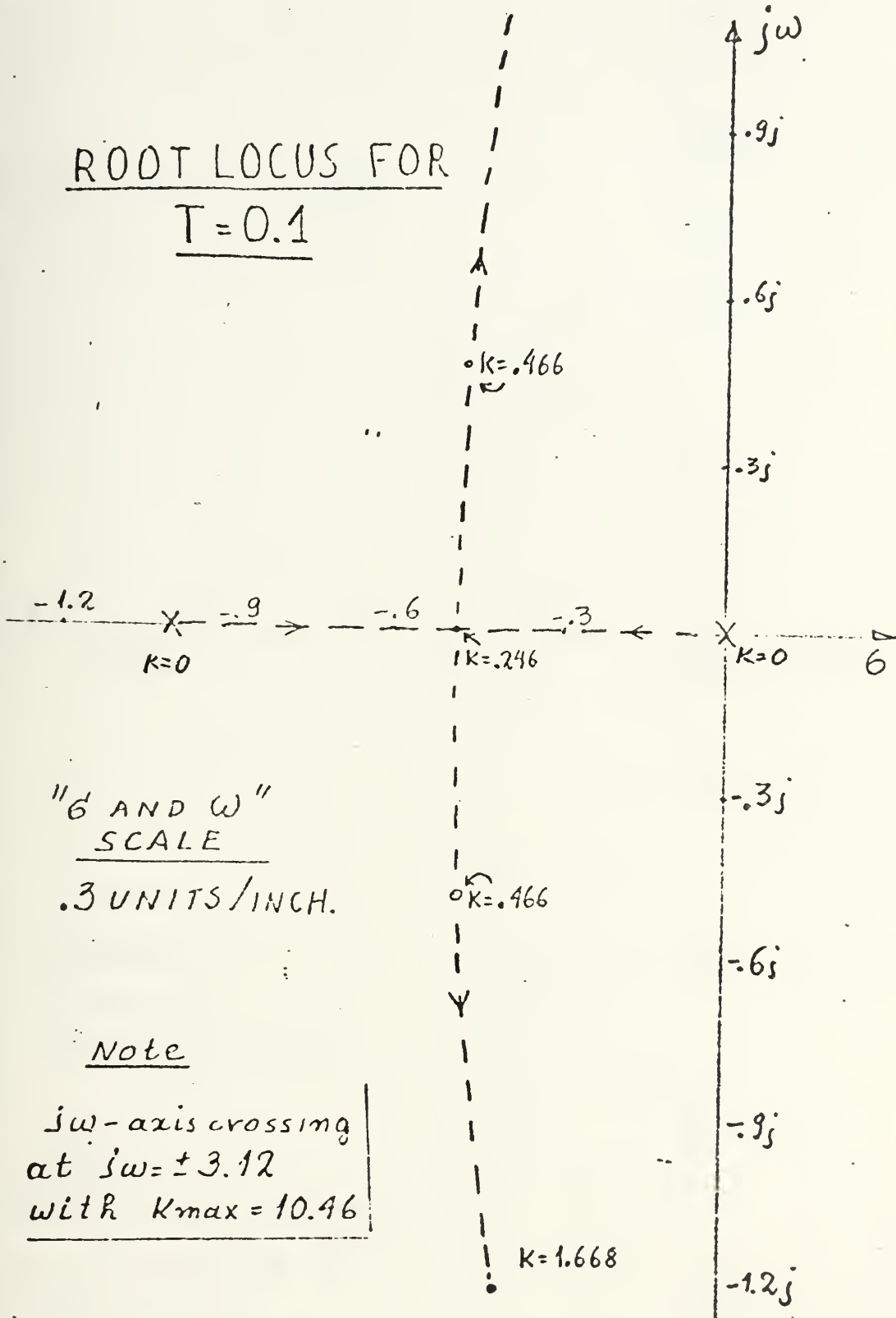
TABLE 2-2

$T$	$K(\xi=0)$	$K(\xi=.707)$	$K_{max}(\xi=1.0)$	SYSTEM IN "ABS. STABILITY		"jw-axis" crossing	Phase Margin	Gain Margin
				YES	NO			
0.0	.250	.500	$\infty$	X		$\infty$	$69^\circ$	$\infty$
0.1	.246	.466	10.46		X	$\pm j3.12$	—	22.2
0.2	.233	.420	5.32		X	$\pm j2.18$	—	12.7
0.3	.225	.400	3.50		X	$\pm j1.74$	—	8.75
1.0	.164	.255	1.178		X	$\pm j0.86$	—	4.62



# ROOT LOCUS FOR

$T=0.1$



" $\sigma$  AND  $\omega$ "  
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## Note

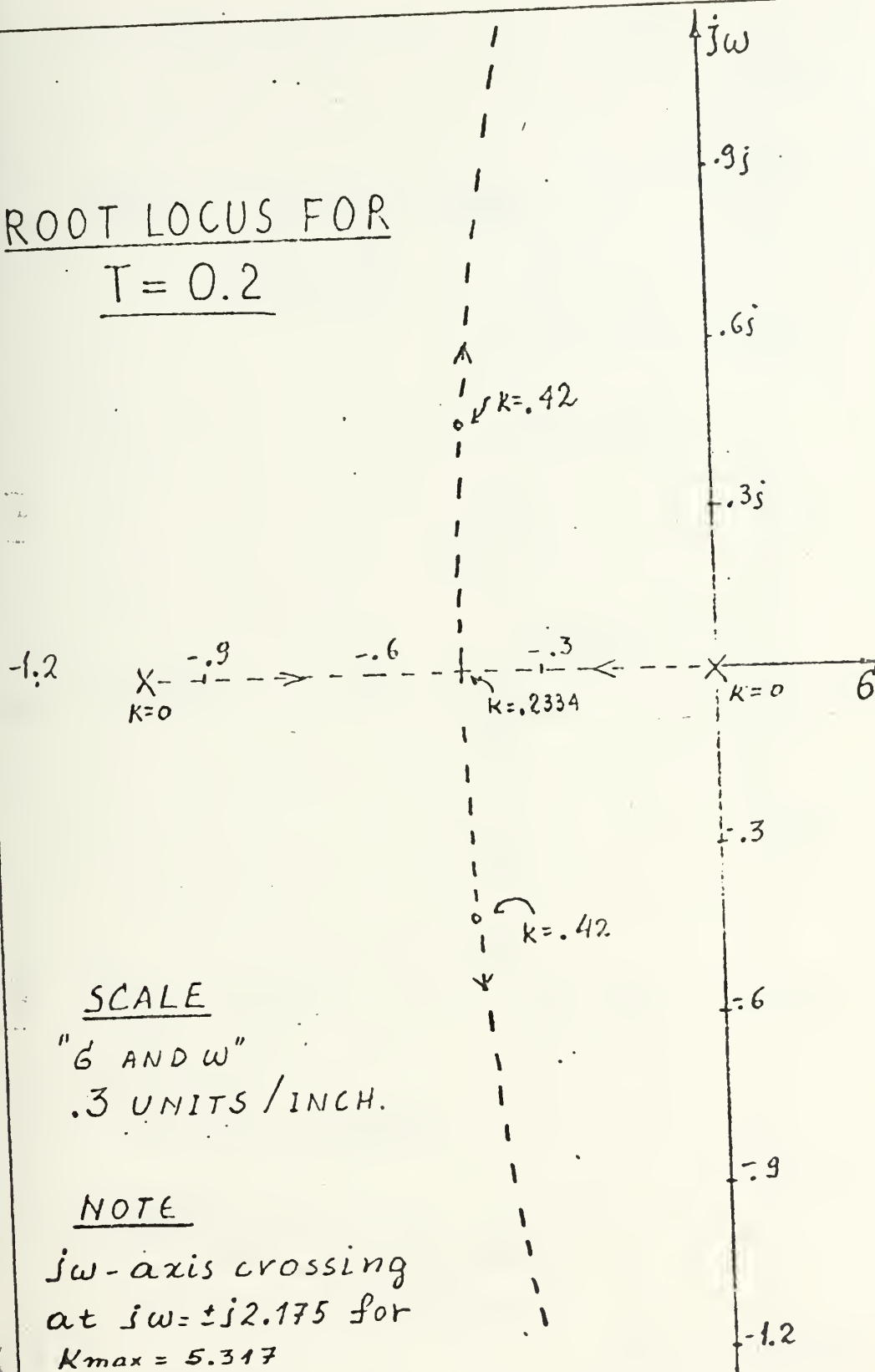
$j\omega$ -axis crossing  
at  $j\omega = \pm 3.12$   
with  $K_{max} = 10.46$

FIGURE 2-2a





# ROOT LOCUS FOR $T = 0.2$



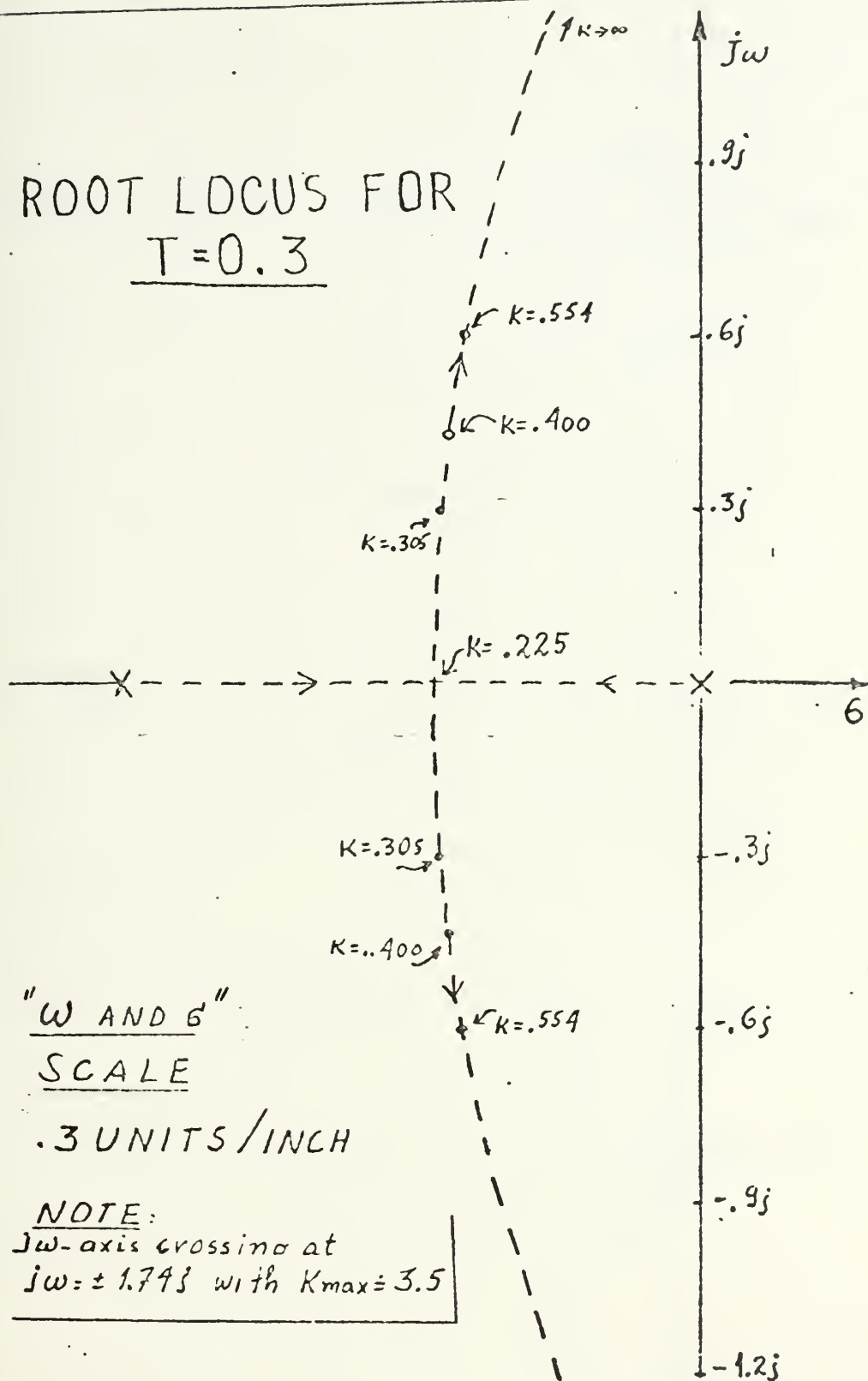
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NOTE  
 $j\omega$ -axis crossing  
at  $j\omega = \pm j2.175$  for  
 $K_{max} = 5.317$

FIGURE 2-2b



# ROOT LOCUS FOR $T=0.3$



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NOTE:

$j\omega$ -axis crossing at  
 $j\omega = \pm 1.74j$  with  $K_{\max} = 3.5$

FIGURE 2-2c



# ROOT LOCUS FOR $T = 1.0$

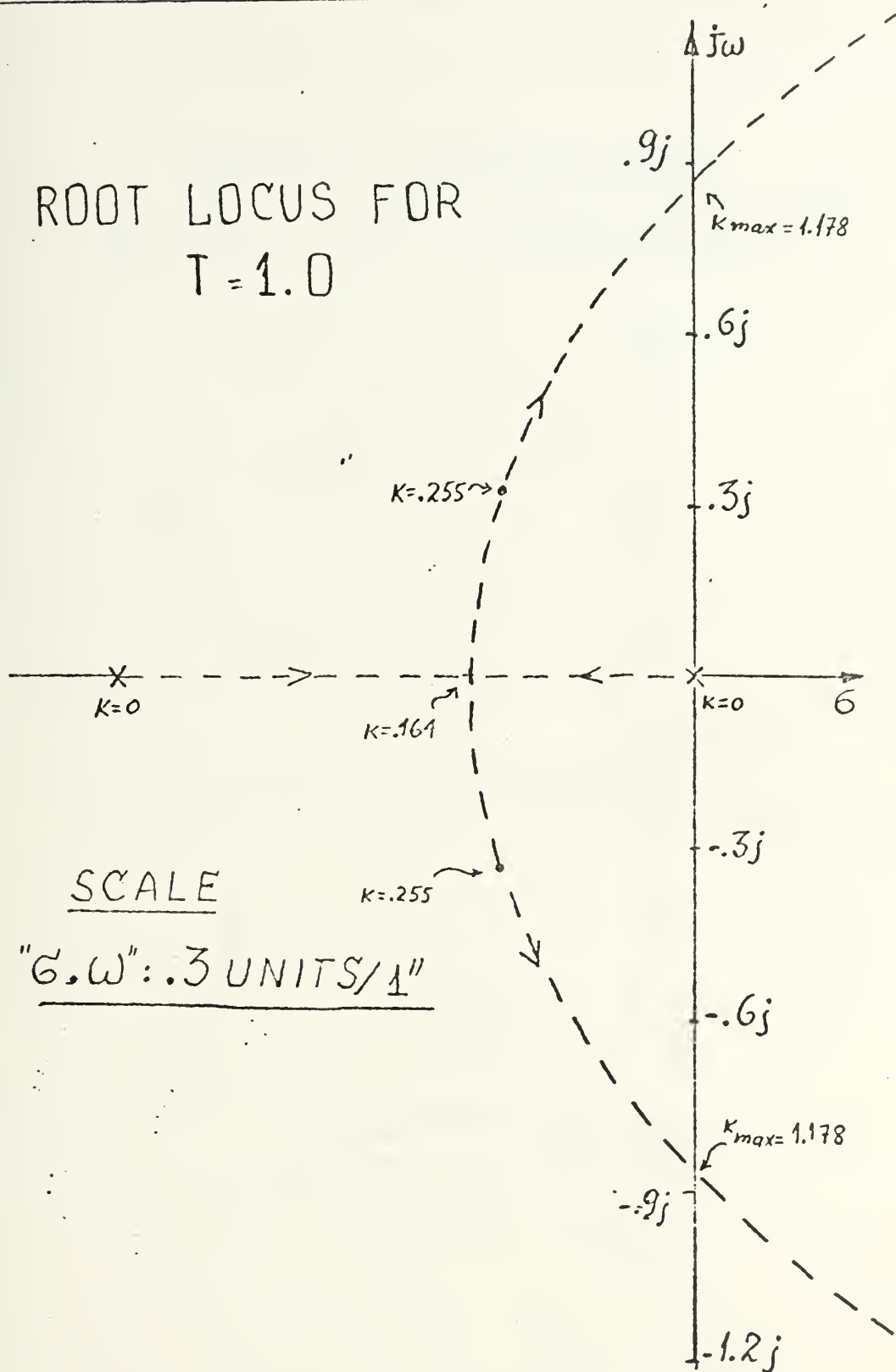


FIGURE 2-2d



# ROOTS INTRODUCED BY THE PADÉ APPROXIMATION

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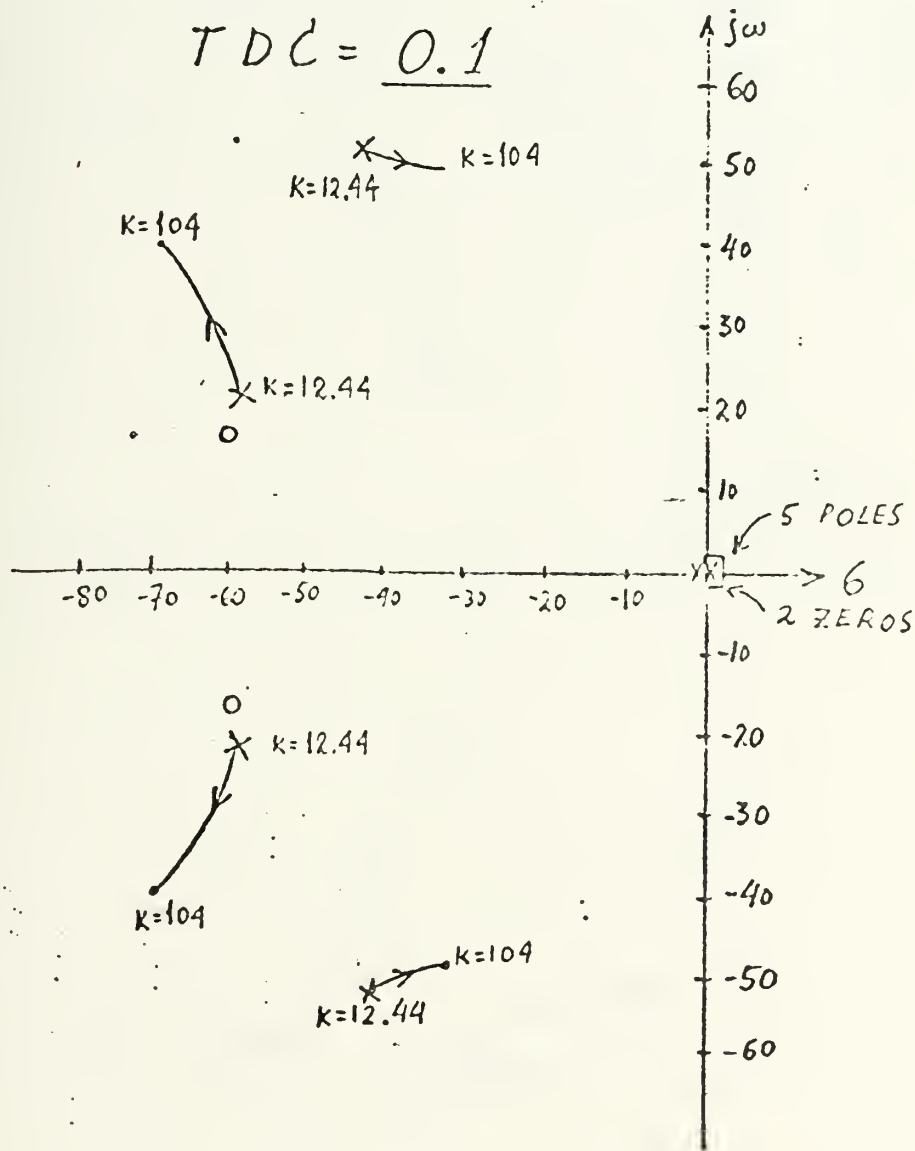


FIGURE 2-3a





# ROOTS INTRODUCED BY THE PADÉ APPROXIMATION

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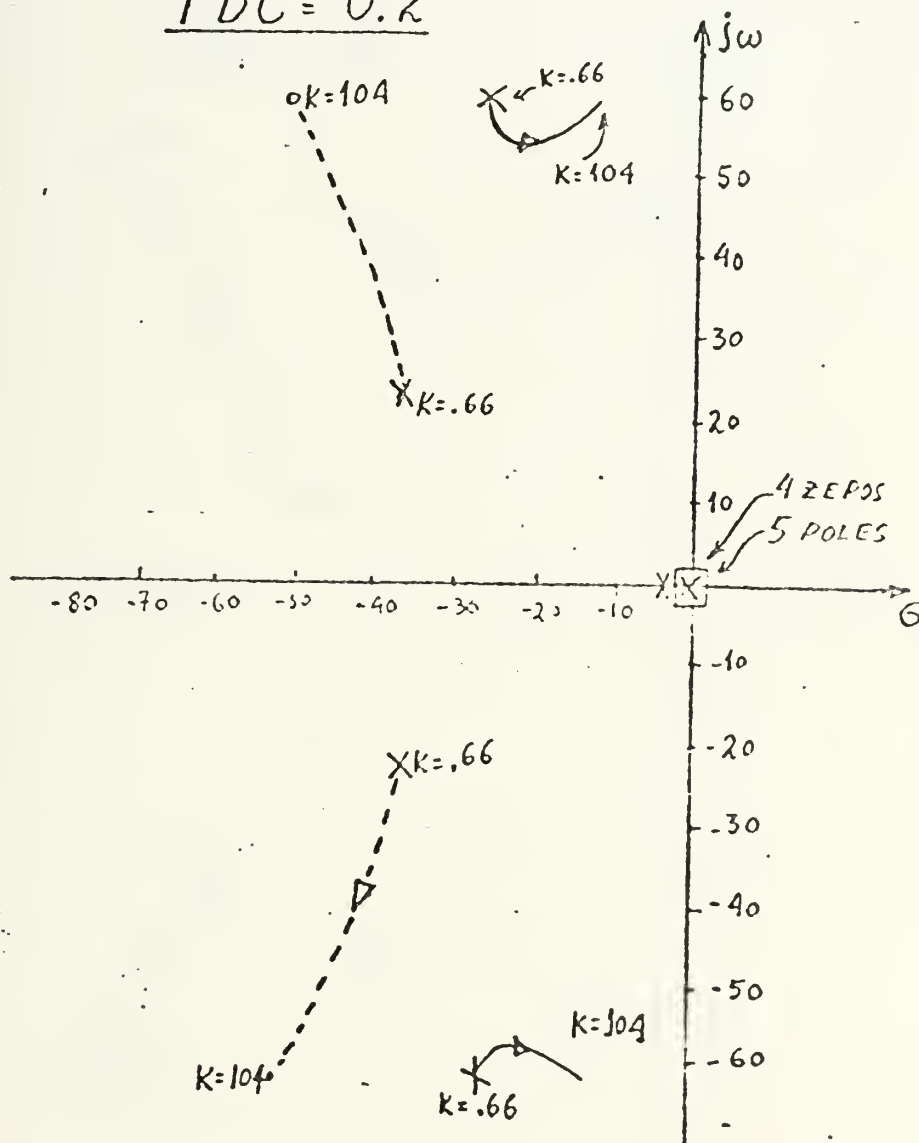


FIGURE 2-3b



# ROOTS INTRODUCED BY THE DADÉ APPROXIMATION

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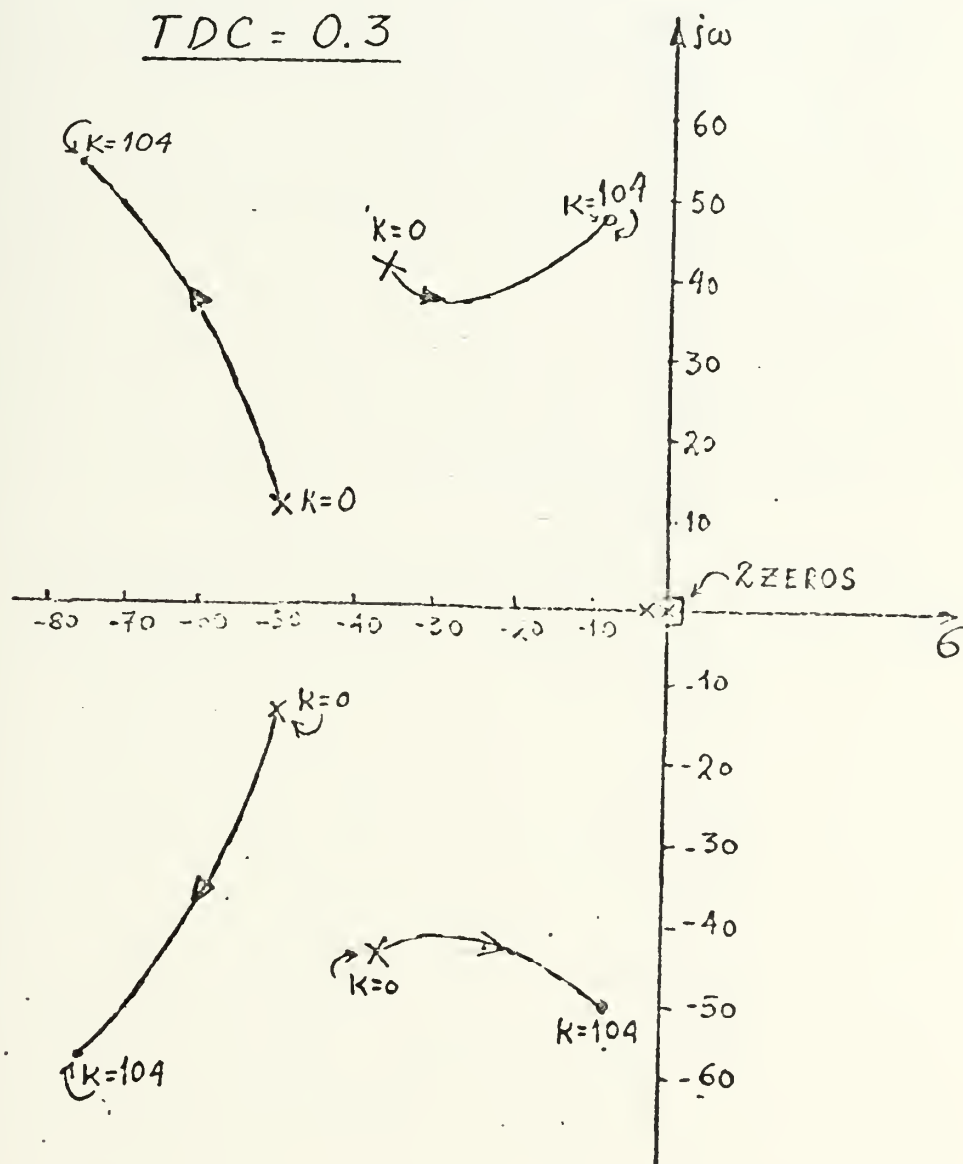


FIGURE 2-3c



# ROOTS INTRODUCED BY THE PADÉ APPROXIMATION

$TDC = 1.0$

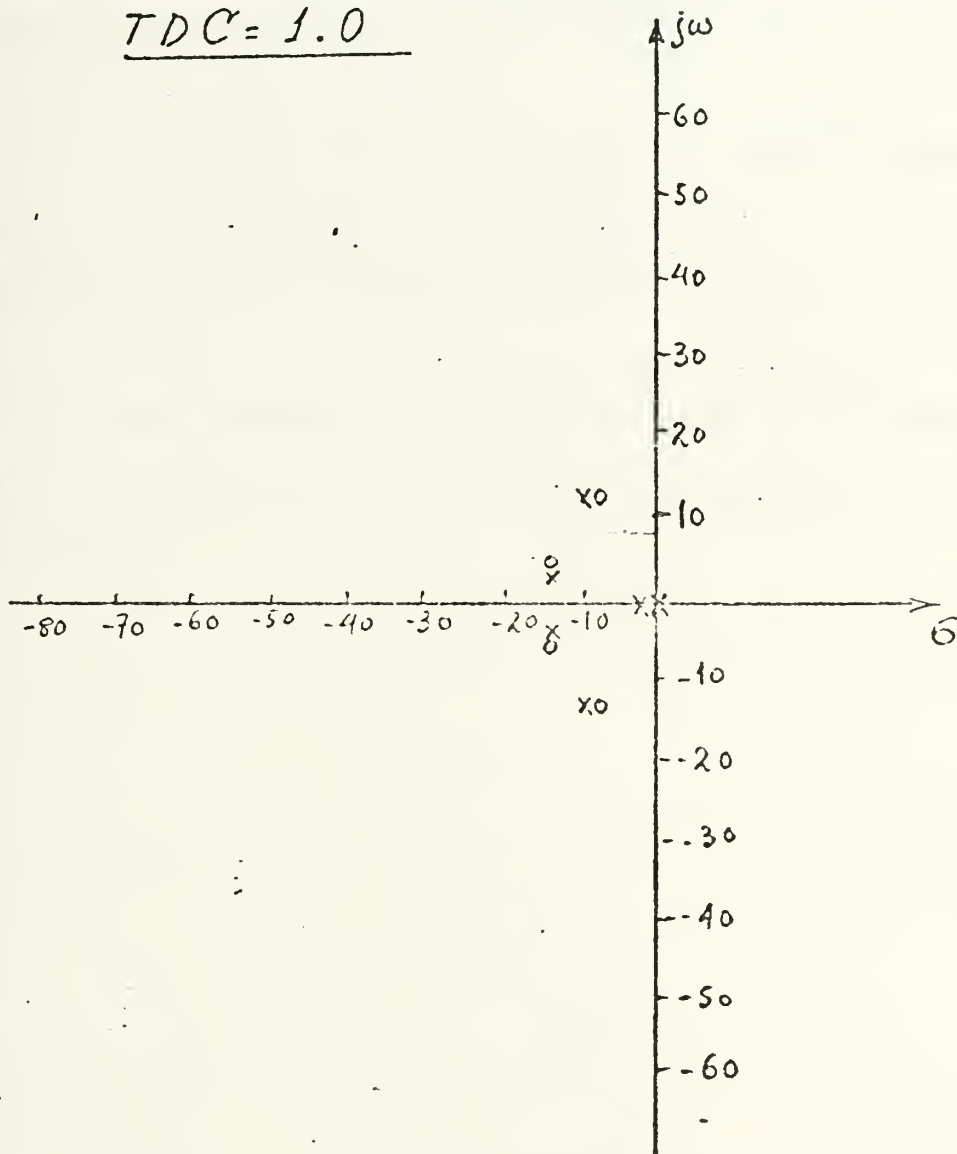


FIGURE 2-3d



## 6. General Conclusions

From this discussion, the main facts concerning the insertion of a time delay in a linear system are apparent:

a. Any system carries a time-delay effect with it. Therefore, no system can be thought of as absolutely stable. Nevertheless, systems with very small time delay deviate so little from the ideal case, that they can be thought of as delay-free.

b. By considering Figures 2-3 we see that when approximating the time delay term by the Padé' technique, poles and zeroes are introduced at finite  $\omega_n$ , in the "s" domain. This is true for any other approximation.

c. For T increasing, the relative stability of the system decreases and the root locus suffers an increasing deformation towards the  $+\sigma$  direction.





## C. PARAMETER PLANE METHODS FOR SYSTEMS WITH TIME DELAY (STATE OF THE ART)

1. The closed loop gain of the system shown in figure 2-4a is

$$\frac{C}{R}(s) = \frac{N(s)}{D(s)e^{Ts} + N(s)}$$

with

$$D(s) = \sum_{k=0}^n d_k s^k \quad \text{and} \quad N(s) = \sum_{k=0}^J n_k s^k$$

So the characteristic equation is

$$e^{Ts} \sum_{k=0}^n d_k s^k + \sum_{k=0}^J n_k s^k = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k(s) s^k = 0 \quad (\text{II-6})$$

where  $a_k(s)$  is a function of  $e^{Ts}$ , and contains the variable parameters A, B of the system. So if only linear combinations of a and b are considered:

$$a_k(s) = A b_k + a c_k e^{Ts} + B d_k + b e_k e^{Ts} + f_k + g_k e^{Ts} \quad (\text{II-7})$$

2. Intending to derive constant " $\zeta$ " and " $\omega_n$ " equations for the system, one must substitute s in the characteristic equation in terms of  $\zeta$  and  $\omega_n$ , that is by:

$$s = -\zeta \omega_n + j \omega_n \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2} \quad (\text{See figure 2-5}).$$

Therefore, it follows (Siljak) that

$$s^k = \omega_n^k \left[ T_k(-\zeta) + j \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2} U_k(-\zeta) \right]$$

with  $T_k(-\zeta)$  and  $U_k(-\zeta)$  being Chebyshev functions of the first and second kind defined by

$$T_k(\zeta) = \cos(K \cos^{-1} \zeta) \quad \text{and} \quad U_k(\zeta) = \frac{\sin(K \cos^{-1} \zeta)}{\sin(\cos^{-1} \zeta)}$$

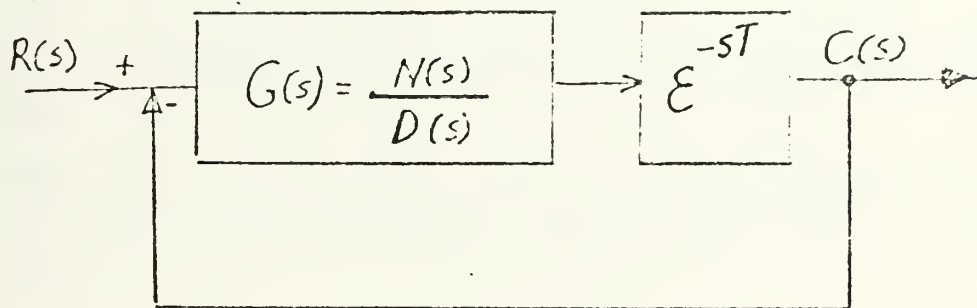
(see section I-B for the recursion relations), and note that

$$T_k(-\zeta) = (-1)^k T_k(\zeta) \quad \text{and} \quad U_k(-\zeta) = (-1)^{k+1} U_k(\zeta).$$



# BLOCK DIAGRAM FOR A GENERAL SYSTEM WITH TIME DELAY

## (a) UNITY FEED-BACK



## (b) NON-UNITY FEED-BACK

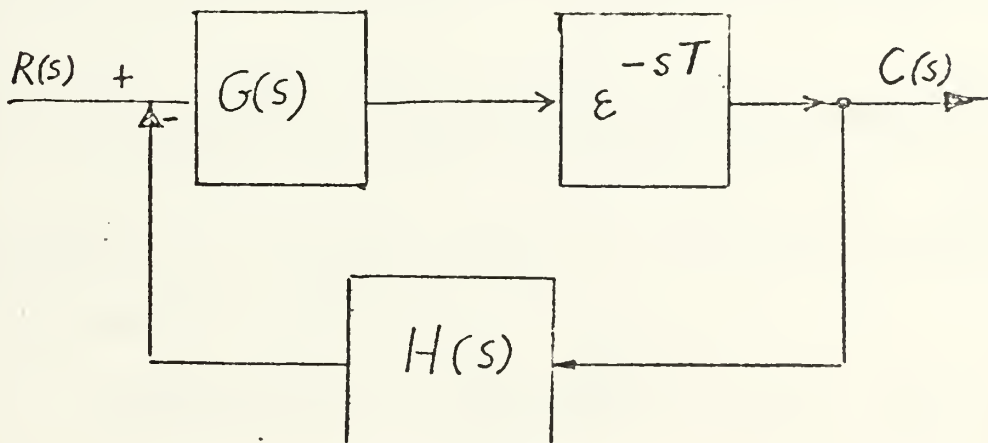


FIGURE 2-4 (a and b)



3. After the substitution for  $s$  in equation (II-6) is made, and by using the information in the previous paragraph and equation (II-7), the following result is obtained after separating reals from imaginaries:

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[ AB_1(\omega_n, \zeta) + BC_1(\omega_n, \zeta) + D_1(\omega_n, \zeta) \right] + \\ & j \left[ AB_2(\omega_n, \zeta) + BC_2(\omega_n, \zeta) + D_2(\omega_n, \zeta) \right] = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (\text{II-8})$$

where

$$B_1 = \sum_{k=0}^n \omega_n^k \left[ (-1)^k T_k(\zeta) b_{k+\epsilon}^{-\phi} c_k \left( (-1)^k T_k(\zeta) \cos \theta - (-1)^{k+1} \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} U_k(\zeta) \sin \theta \right) \right]$$

$$C_1 = \sum_{k=0}^n \omega_n^k \left[ (-1)^k T_k(\zeta) d_{k+\epsilon}^{-\phi} e_k \left( (-1)^k T_k(\zeta) \cos \theta - (-1)^{k+1} \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} U_k(\zeta) \sin \theta \right) \right]$$

$$D_1 = \sum_{k=0}^n \omega_n^k \left[ (-1)^k T_k(\zeta) f_{k+\epsilon}^{-\phi} g_k \left( (-1)^k T_k(\zeta) \cos \theta - (-1)^{k+1} \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} U_k(\zeta) \sin \theta \right) \right]$$

and

$$B_2 = \sum_{k=0}^n \omega_n^k \left[ (-1)^{k+1} U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} b_{k+\epsilon}^{-\phi} c_k \left( (-1)^{k+1} U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \cos \theta + (-1)^k T_k(\zeta) \sin \theta \right) \right]$$

$$C_2 = \sum_{k=0}^n \omega_n^k \left[ (-1)^{k+1} U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} d_{k+\epsilon}^{-\phi} e_k \left( (-1)^{k+1} U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \cos \theta + (-1)^k T_k(\zeta) \sin \theta \right) \right]$$

$$D_2 = \sum_{k=0}^n \omega_n^k \left[ (-1)^{k+1} U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} f_{k+\epsilon}^{-\phi} g_k \left( (-1)^{k+1} U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \cos \theta + (-1)^k T_k(\zeta) \sin \theta \right) \right]$$

{Note the identity  $\epsilon^{sT} = \epsilon^{-\phi} (\cos \theta + j \sin \theta)$  for  $\phi = \zeta \omega_n T$  and  $\theta = \omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} T$ }

4. The solution for  $A$  and  $B$  easily follows to be:

$$A = \frac{C_1 D_2 - D_1 C_2}{\Delta} ; \quad B = \frac{D_1 B_2 - D_2 B_1}{\Delta} ; \quad \Delta = B_1 C_2 - C_1 B_2$$

5. This derivation is the one followed by L. Eisenberg [4]. A derivation of parameter plane equations for a system with time delay and two variable parameters included in non-linear combinations, will follow.



6. System with the Product AB Present in its Characteristic Equation.

Consider the system in figure 2-4b with closed loop gain

$$\frac{C}{R}(s) = \frac{G(s)}{e^{Ts} + G(s)H(s)}$$

For

$$G(s) = \frac{G_N(s)}{G_D(s)} \quad \text{and} \quad H(s) = \frac{H_N(s)}{H_D(s)}$$

the characteristic equation will be:

$$F(s) = G_D(s)H_D(s)e^{Ts} + G_N(s)H_N(s) = \sum_{k=0}^N a_k s^k = 0 \quad (\text{II-9})$$

where:

$$a_k = A(b_k + c_k e^{Ts}) + B(d_k + e_k e^{Ts}) + AB(h_k + i_k e^{Ts}) + (f_k + g_k e^{Ts})$$

An expression for  $e^{Ts}$  can be derived by using

$$s = -\zeta \omega_n + j \omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}$$

and calling

$$\zeta \omega_n T = \phi \quad \text{and} \quad \omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} T = \theta.$$

So

$$e^{Ts} = e^{-\phi} e^{j\theta} = e^{-\phi} (\cos\theta + j \sin\theta).$$

The expression for  $s^k$  as a function of  $\omega_n$ ,  $\zeta$ , and the Chebyshev functions are also available. So the characteristic equation can be expressed as a function of  $\zeta$  and  $\omega_n$  as follows:

$$F(\zeta, \omega_n) = \sum_{k=0}^N a_k (-\omega_n)^k \left[ T_k(\zeta) - j\sqrt{1-\zeta^2} U_k(\zeta) \right] \quad (\text{II-10})$$

where

$$a_k = A(b_k + c_k e^{-\phi} \cos\theta) + B(d_k + e_k e^{-\phi} \cos\theta) + (f_k + g_k e^{-\phi} \cos\theta) \\ + AB(h_k + i_k e^{-\phi} \cos\theta) + j e^{-\phi} \sin\theta (A c_k + B e_k + g_k + A B i_k) \equiv a_R + j a_I$$





Next, by defining  $\beta_R = T_k(\zeta)$  and  $\beta_I = \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} U_k(\zeta)$ , the characteristic equation can be expressed as:

$$F(\zeta, \omega_n) = \sum_{k=0}^n (-\omega_n)^k \left[ \alpha_R \beta_R + \alpha_I \beta_I + j(\alpha_I \beta_R - \alpha_R \beta_I) \right] = 0$$

which after separating into reals and imaginaries leads to:

$$\text{Re} \left[ F(\zeta, \omega_n) \right] = \sum_{k=0}^N (-\omega_n)^k (\alpha_R \beta_R + \alpha_I \beta_I) = 0$$

and

$$\text{Im} \left[ F(\zeta, \omega_n) \right] = \sum_{k=0}^N (-\omega_n)^k (\alpha_I \beta_R - \alpha_R \beta_I) = 0$$

And finally, by expanding terms inside parenthesis, this set of equations can take the form:

$$AB_1 + BC_1 + D_1 + ABE_1 = 0$$

$$AB_2 + BC_2 + D_2 + ABE_2 = 0$$

where:

$$B_1 = \sum_{k=0}^N (-\omega_n)^k \left[ b_k T_k(\zeta) + c_k \epsilon^{-\phi} (T_k(\zeta) \cos \theta + U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \sin \theta) \right]$$

$$C_1 = \sum_{k=0}^N (-\omega_n)^k \left[ d_k T_k(\zeta) + e_k \epsilon^{-\phi} (T_k(\zeta) \cos \theta + U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \sin \theta) \right]$$

$$D_1 = \sum_{k=0}^N (-\omega_n)^k \left[ f_k T_k(\zeta) + g_k \epsilon^{-\phi} (T_k(\zeta) \cos \theta + U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \sin \theta) \right]$$

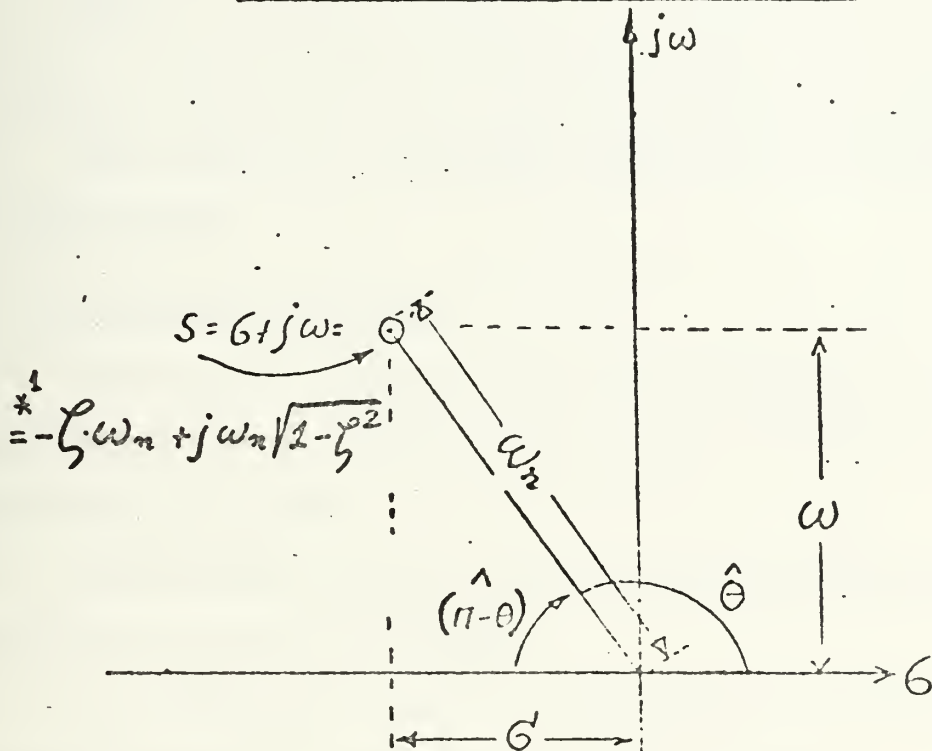
$$E_1 = \sum_{k=0}^N (-\omega_n)^k \left[ h_k T_k(\zeta) + i_k \epsilon^{-\phi} (T_k(\zeta) \cos \theta + U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \sin \theta) \right]$$

$$B_2 = \sum_{k=0}^N (-\omega_n)^k \left[ -b_k U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} + c_k \epsilon^{-\phi} (T_k(\zeta) \sin \theta - U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \cos \theta) \right]$$

$$C_2 = \sum_{k=0}^N (-\omega_n)^k \left[ -d_k U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} + e_k \epsilon^{-\phi} (T_k(\zeta) \sin \theta - U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \cos \theta) \right]$$



# GEOMETRIC RELATIONS IN THE "S"- PLANE



NOTE:

$$\zeta = \left| \frac{G}{\omega_n} \right|$$

$$\omega = \omega_n \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}$$

FIGURE 2-5



$$D_2 = \sum_{k=0}^N (-w_n)^k \left[ -f_k U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} + g_k e^{-\phi} \left( T_k(\zeta) \sin \theta - U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \cos \theta \right) \right]$$

$$E_2 = \sum_{k=0}^N (-w_n)^k \left[ -h_k U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} + i_k e^{-\phi} \left( T_k(\zeta) \sin \theta - U_k(\zeta) \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \cos \theta \right) \right]$$

The selection then of (II-11) is a matter of algebraic manipulation.

7. The derivation in paragraph 6 above is the one followed by S.E. Lamberski [5].

### C. THE OBJECTIVES OF THIS WORK

1. What has been discussed up to this section was a review for people familiar with control theory and hopefully an introduction to the state of the art to others.

2. The sections to follow contain material associated with the fulfillment of objectives as follows:

a. Theoretical study of general systems with three variable parameters and with time delay. This is shown in Section V.

b. Study of actual engineering problems involving two or three variable parameters in systems with time delay.

c. (1) Since for such an engineering study to be complete, a stability analysis is needed and hence Section IV is devoted to presenting the state of the art.

(2) In Section III parameter plane equations are derived for a general system with two variable parameters and time delay. The reason that this derivation has been included is that it shows an interesting way to deal with the time delay difficulty. In all of its other aspects it is the same as the methods mentioned in this section, since they involve the already familiar algebraic manipulation of Siljak.



### III. SYSTEMS WITH TWO VARIABLE PARAMETERS AND TIME DELAY

The purpose of this section is to derive parameter plane equations for a general system with time delay and two variable parameters. The basic parameter plane method is used, but it is different in the manner the time delay effect is treated. This approach will require a shorter computer program to implement.

Since the investigation of this kind of a system started with the analysis of a specific actual problem, equations for that kind of a problem are first derived. Extension to the general case is then covered in two further steps, by:

first, considering other possible real life system configurations and systematically filling in possible terms for a more general representation of all of them by one equation, which is true under certain conditions,

and second, removing the imposed conditions and thus getting the general parameter plane equation for a system with two variable parameters and time delay.

#### A. A SYSTEM WITH TIME DELAY IN THE FORWARD PATH, AND THE VARIABLE PARAMETERS IN THE FEEDBACK.

In this section, parameter plane equations for a system with time delay in the forward path and the variable parameters A,B in the feedback path, will be derived.

##### 1. The System's Block Diagram

Assume that the system under consideration has a block diagram as in figure 3-1.





BLOCK DIAGRAM "ONE"  
(NO PRODUCTS)

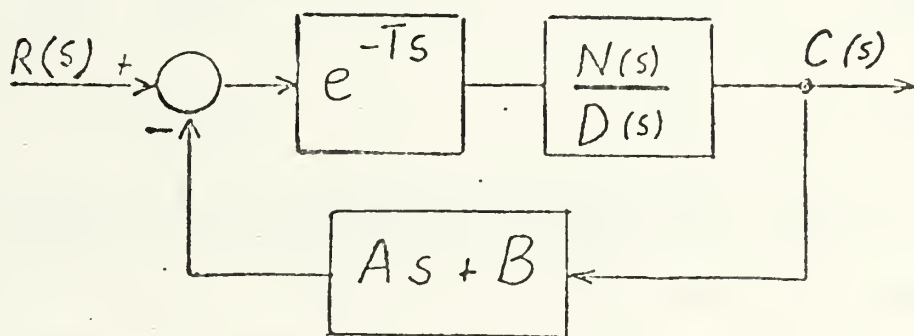


FIGURE 3-1



It turns out that the transfer function C/R is:

$$\frac{C}{R} = \frac{e^{-Ts}N(s)}{D(s) + e^{-Ts}(As + B)N(s)} \quad (\text{III-1})$$

Therefore, let  $As + B = AN_1(s) + BN_2(s)$  and assume that the coefficients of  $D(s)$  are  $[d_k]_{k=0}^n$ , of  $N_2(s)$  are  $[c_k]_{k=0}^{\ell}$ , and of  $N_1(s)$  are  $[b_k]_{k=0}^{\ell}$ , where  $n$  is the order of  $D(s)$  and  $\ell$  is the order of  $N(s)$ , increased by one, as  $N_1(s) = s \cdot N(s)$ .

## 2. Characteristic Equation

It follows from the above discussion that the system's characteristic equation can be written in the following form:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n d_k s^k + \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} a_k'' e^{-Ts} s^k = 0 \quad (\text{III-2})$$

where  $a_k'' = Ab_k + Bc_k$  (III-3)

## 3. Derivation of a Set of Equations That Can Provide Constant " $\omega_n$ " or Constant " $\zeta$ " Curves in the " $A, B$ " Plane.

Starting now from equation (III-2) one can express the complex quantity " $s$ " in terms of  $\omega_n$  and  $\zeta$  and then attempt to get two equations of the form:

$$A \cdot B_1(\omega_n, \zeta) + B \cdot C_1(\omega_n, \zeta) + D_1(\omega_n, \zeta) = 0 \quad (\text{III-4})$$

$$A \cdot B_2(\omega_n, \zeta) + B \cdot C_2(\omega_n, \zeta) + D_2(\omega_n, \zeta) = 0$$

One can see that the solution follows Siljak's basic steps. In this case, then, a solution for  $A$  and  $B$  is possible, for a given  $(\omega_n, \zeta)$  pair. Easily then the constant " $\omega_n$ " and the constant " $\zeta$ " curves will follow by keeping one of the two variables constant, and varying the other over a desired range of values.

Shown in Appendix B is a way a deriving equations in the form of the ones in (III-4). In fact one gets:



$$A \left[ e^{Tw_n \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} b_k \omega_n^k X_k(\zeta, \omega_n) \right] + B \left[ e^{Tw_n \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} c_k \omega_n^k X_k(\zeta, \omega_n) \right] + \left[ \sum_{k=0}^n d_k \omega_n^k T_k(\zeta) \right] = 0 \quad (\text{III-5a})$$

$$A \left[ e^{Tw_n \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} b_k \omega_n^k (\zeta \cdot X_k(\zeta, \omega_n) + X_{k-1}(\zeta, \omega_n)) \right] + B \left[ e^{Tw_n \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} c_k \omega_n^k (\zeta \cdot X_k(\zeta, \omega_n) + X_{k-1}(\zeta, \omega_n)) \right] + \left[ \sum_{k=0}^n d_k \omega_n^k (\zeta \cdot T_k(\zeta) + T_{k-1}(\zeta)) \right] = 0 \quad (\text{III-5b})$$

$$\left[ \sum_{k=0}^n d_k \omega_n^k (\zeta \cdot T_k(\zeta) + T_{k-1}(\zeta)) \right] = 0$$

where  $\alpha_k$ ,  $\beta_k$ ,  $c_k$  are constant coefficients of the characteristic equation of the system as mentioned before, and  $T_{k+1}$ ,  $x_{k+1}$  are given from the following recurrence relations:

$$\begin{aligned} T_{k+1} &= -2\zeta \cdot T_k - T_{k-1} \\ X_{k+1} &= -2\zeta \cdot X_k - X_{k-1} \end{aligned} \quad (\text{III-6})$$

and subject to the following initial conditions:

$$\begin{aligned} X_{-1} &= - \left( \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \sin \left[ Tw_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \right] + \zeta \cos \left[ Tw_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \right] \right) \\ X_0 &= \cos \left[ Tw_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \right] \\ X_1 &= \left( \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \sin \left[ Tw_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \right] - \zeta \cos \left[ Tw_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \right] \right) \\ T_{-1} &= -\zeta \\ T_0 &= 1 \\ T_1 &= -\zeta \end{aligned} \quad (\text{III-7})$$

By comparing equations (III-4) and (III-5),

$$B_1 = e^{Tw_n \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} b_k \omega_n^k X_k(\zeta, \omega_n)$$



and the rest of the values for  $[B_i, C_i, D_i]_{i=1,2}$  follow easily. So if  $B_1 C_2 - B_2 C_1 \neq 0$ , from equation (III-4) follows:

$$\begin{aligned} A &= (C_1 D_2 - C_2 D_1) \div (B_1 C_2 - B_2 C_1) \\ B &= (B_2 D_1 - D_2 B_1) \div (B_1 C_2 - B_2 C_1) \end{aligned} \quad (III-8)$$

#### 4. Derivation of an Equation That Can Provide Constant "σ" Curves.

The real roots of equation (III-2) may be found by substituting  $s = \sigma$ , the required root. It follows then:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n d_k \sigma^k + \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} e^{-T\sigma} a_k'' \sigma^k = 0$$

where  $a_k'' = A \cdot b_k + B \cdot c_k$  (III-3)

or

$$\sum_{k=0}^n d_k \sigma^k + \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} e^{-T\sigma} A b_k \sigma^k + \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} e^{-T\sigma} B c_k \sigma^k = 0$$

and after bringing A, B, and  $e^{-T\sigma}$  outside of the summation operator, we get finally:

$$A \left[ e^{-T\sigma} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} b_k \sigma^k \right] + B \left[ e^{-T\sigma} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} c_k \sigma^k \right] + \sum_{k=0}^n d_k \sigma^k = 0 \quad (III-9)$$

#### 5. Computer Program

In Appendix D, a computer program able to draw constant  $\sigma$ ,  $\zeta$  and  $\omega_n$  curves or combinations of them is listed. Computations take place as follows (Notice that reference is made to equations of Appendix B):

##### a. The Case of Constant " $\zeta$ " and " $\omega_n$ " Curves

(1)  $B_1, C_1, D_1, B_2, C_2$ , and  $D_2$  are calculated from Equations (B-15) for the constant quantity of the curve wanted. For each value of the running variable,  $\omega_n^k, X_k, X_{k-1}, T_k$  and  $T_{k-1}$  are calculated by iteration from the appropriate recursion and initial value formulas





as mentioned before and multiplied by the proper  $b_k$ ,  $c_k$  and  $d_k$  as necessary. The quantity  $e^{Tw_n\zeta}$  is also calculated to form  $[B_i, C_i]_{i=1,2}$ .

(2) By using equations (B-16), a point P(A,B) is drawn on the A,B plane for the constant value curve in discussion, whenever the running variable takes one of the values we specify it to span.

#### b. The Case of Constant " $\sigma$ " Curves

As one can see, equation (III-9) represents a straight line in the A,B plane for given " $\sigma$ ". So in the computer program of Appendix D, the quantities,

$$e^{-T\sigma}; \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} b_k \sigma^k; \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} c_k \sigma^k \text{ and } \sum_{k=0}^n d_k \sigma^k$$

are calculated for selected " $\sigma$ ", and constant  $\sigma$  lines are plotted by using appropriate intercepts.

#### c. Basic Inputs

In addition to the types of curves, the selected values needed, the span of the running variable and some other information necessary to the drawing unit, one must input the order of the characteristic equation (which coincides with the order of  $D(s)$  for the most usual case when order  $D(s) > N(s)$ ), the maximum degree of the exponent in " $s$ " that the time delay term,  $(e^{-Ts})$ , appears in the characteristic equation, the time delay constant " $T$ " and the coefficients of the system  $b_k$ ,  $c_k$ , and  $d_k$ .

### B. OTHER PRACTICAL CONFIGURATIONS - GENERALIZATION

#### 1. Other Possible Time-Delay and Plant Configurations for Feed-Back Compensation (A and B Shown in the Feed-Back Loop)

In order to get a generalization of the parameter plane equations for a system with time delay, one should devise possible configurations



of the plant, the compensation unit and the time delay and after solving for the parameter plane equations for each case, should then try to foresee how these equations would look for the general system with time delay.

a. In Figure 3-2 the first of a set of three configurations is shown. But noting that the loop gain of this system is exactly the same as for the system discussed in section IIIA, one shouldn't expect any differences in the characteristic equations of these two systems.

Therefore, the characteristic equation is  $D(s) + N(s)(As + B)e^{-Ts} = 0$ .

b. The next system to consider is the one shown in Figure 3-3. Since for this system:

$$\frac{C}{R} = \frac{\frac{N(s)}{D(s)}}{1 + \frac{N(s)}{D(s)} [Ase^{-Ts} + B]}$$

it follows that the characteristic equation for this system will be:

$$D(s) + B N(s) + e^{-Ts} A s N(s) = 0$$

So the basic difference with the original system of section IIIA, exists in the fact that the term multiplying the variable B is  $N(s)$  for the latter case instead of  $N(s) \cdot e^{-Ts}$  for the former. As a consequence of that and going over the procedure of section IIIA, one can see that no  $e^{-T_{wn}\zeta}$  term appears in the set of equations (III-5) as far as  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are concerned. Furthermore, only  $T_k, U_k$  terms will show up in the solution for  $C_1$  and  $C_2$ . As far as  $B_1, B_2$ , and  $D_1, D_2$  are concerned, there will be no change from the solution of section IIIA.

c. The last system to be considered for the feed-back compensation case with A and B in the feed-back loop, is the one shown in Figure 3-4. In this case:

$$\frac{C}{R} = \frac{N(s)}{D(s) + N(s)(As + Be^{-Ts})}$$



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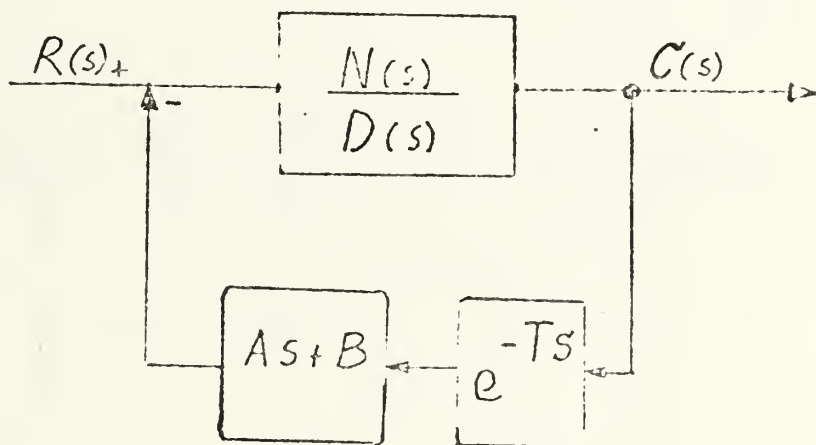


FIGURE 3-2



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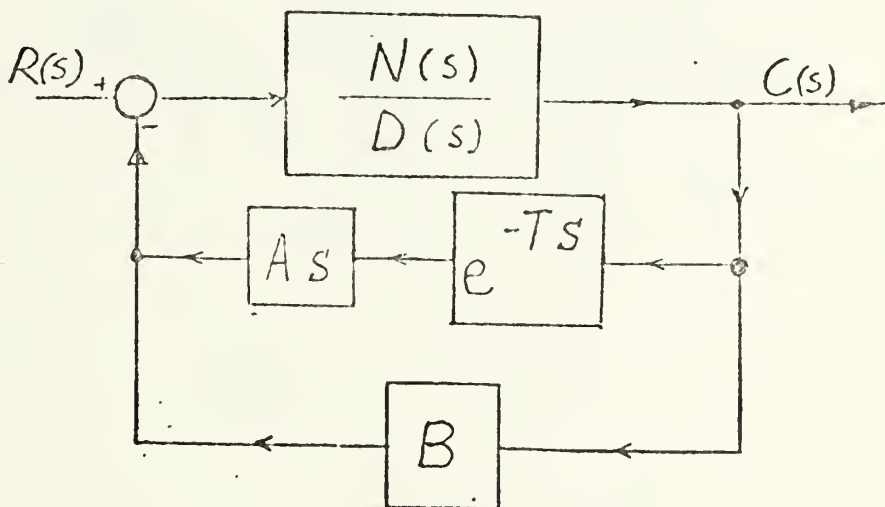


FIGURE 3-3





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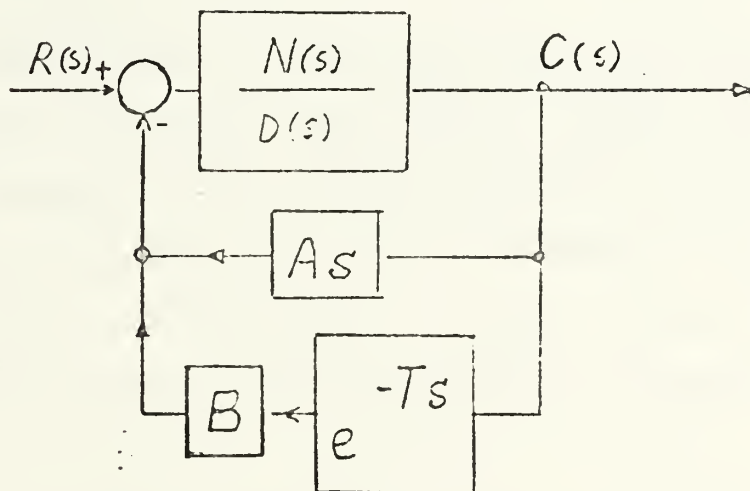


FIGURE 3-4



Therefore, the characteristic equation is:

$$D(s) + AsN(s) + e^{-Ts}BN(s) = 0$$

Again by comparison with the characteristic equation of the system discussed in Section IIIA, one can see that the difference this time exists in the term multiplying the "A" variable parameter. In fact, instead of  $A(s \cdot N(s) \cdot e^{-Ts})$  it is  $A(s \cdot N(s))$ . So following again the procedure in Section IIIA, one will get no  $e^{-Tw}n^{\zeta}$  term appearing in the set of equations (III-5) as far as  $B_1$  and  $B_2$  are concerned this time. Furthermore, only  $T_k, U_k$  terms will show up in the solution for  $B_1$  and  $B_2$ . The solutions for  $C_1, C_2$ , and  $D_1, D_2$  will remain the same as for the system of Section IIIA.

#### d. Conclusion

The solutions for the parameter plane equations for the systems described in paragraphs IIIB1b, IIIB1c, remained essentially the same as for the system in section IIIA, with the only difference of minor changes on the  $C_i$  or  $B_i$  coefficients ( $i = 1, 2$ ), whenever the time delay factor doesn't show in the characteristic equation to multiply one of the two variable parameters A, B. These results are tabulated in Table 3 - 1.

### 2. Possible Time Delay and Plant Configurations for the Case of a Lead-Lag Compensation on a Fixed Feed-Back System.

a. Consider first the system as in Figure 3-5. The transfer function for this system is:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{C}{R} &= \frac{(s + A)N(s) \cdot e^{-Ts}}{(s + B)D(s)} \cdot \frac{1}{1 + k \frac{(s + A)N(s) \cdot e^{-Ts}}{(s + B)D(s)}} = \\ &= \frac{(s + A) \cdot N(s) \cdot e^{-Ts}}{\underbrace{sD(s)}_{d_k} + e^{-Ts} \underbrace{k \cdot s \cdot N(s)}_{d'_k} + \underbrace{BD(s)}_{c_k} + e^{-Ts} \underbrace{A(K \cdot N(s))}_{b_k}} \quad \text{(III-10)} \end{aligned}$$



# TABLE 3-1

SYSTEM ↓	"CHARACTERIST. EQUATION" ↓	B <sub>1</sub> ↓	C <sub>1</sub> ↓	D <sub>1</sub> ↓	B <sub>2</sub> ↓	C <sub>2</sub> ↓	D <sub>2</sub> ↓
OF FIGURE 3-3	$D(s) + B \cdot N(s) + e^{-Ts} A \cdot s \cdot N(s) = 0$	As for the system of section III A.-	$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (c_k \cdot \omega_n^k \cdot T_k)$	As for the system of section III A	As for the system of section III A	$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k \cdot \omega_n^k \cdot (\xi T_k + T_{k-1})$	As for the system of section III A
OF FIGURE 3-4	$D(s) + A \cdot s \cdot N(s) + e^{-Ts} B \cdot N(s) = 0$	$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (b_k \cdot \omega_n^k \cdot T_k)$	As for the system of section III A.-	--	$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_k \cdot \omega_n^k \cdot (\xi T_k + T_{k-1})$	As for the system of section III A	--
OF FIGURE 3-1 (section III A)	$D(s) + A \cdot s \cdot N(s) \cdot e^{-Ts} + e^{-Ts} B \cdot N(s) = 0$	$T \omega_n^{\xi} \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (b_k \cdot \omega_n^k \cdot X_k)$	$T \omega_n^{\xi} \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (c_k \cdot \omega_n^k \cdot X_k)$	$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (d_k \cdot \omega_n^k \cdot T_k)$	$T \omega_n^{\xi} \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_k \cdot \omega_n^k \cdot (\xi X_k + X_{k-1})$	$T \omega_n^{\xi} \cdot \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k \cdot \omega_n^k \cdot (\xi X_k + X_{k-1})$	$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} d_k \cdot \omega_n^k \cdot (\xi T_k + T_{k-1})$



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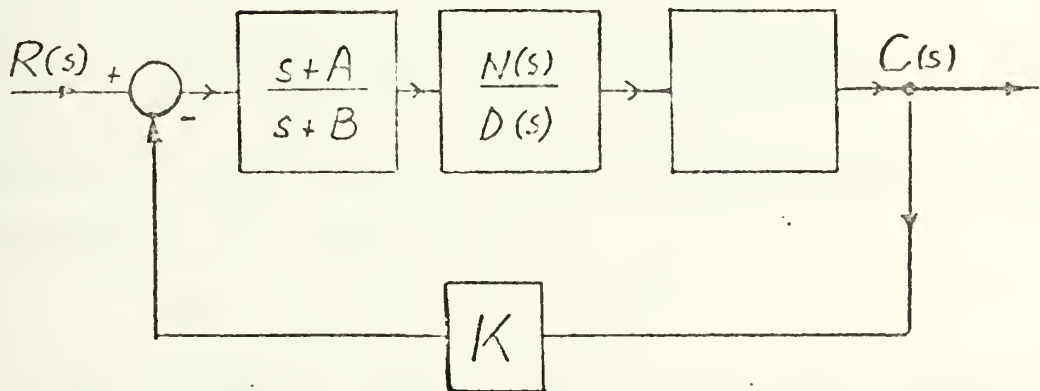


FIGURE 3-5





By examining closer the characteristic equation of this system the following facts should be noted:

(1) As far as the terms multiplying the A and B variable parameters are concerned the situation is similar to the one examined in paragraph IIIB1b with the system shown in Figure 3-3.

(2) For the first time, terms independent of A and B and of the form " $e^{-Ts}$  x (polynomial in s)" are encountered.

b. In the case where the time delay appears in the feed-back path with all the other components of the system being as shown in Figure 3-5, the loop gain, and so the characteristic equation, remain unchanged.

c. The characteristic equation of the system in Figure 3-5 can be formulated in a more elegant way as follows:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n d_k s^k + \sum_{k=0}^n e^{-Ts} d'_k s^k + B \sum_{k=0}^n c_k s^k + A \sum_{k=0}^n e^{-Ts} b_k s^k = 0 \quad (\text{III-11})$$

where  $d_k$ ,  $d'_k$ ,  $c_k$ , and  $b_k$  are the constant terms encountered in the following polynomials in "s", respectively:

$$sD(s), ksN(s), D(s), \text{ and } kN(s).$$

The fact that the summation operators shown in the equation (III-11) are all operating in a range from "0" to "n" is perfectly legitimate and what is meant by that is illustrated as follows and in relation to the system of Figure 3-5.

$$(1) \text{ Consider: } k=1 \text{ and } \frac{N(s)}{D(s)} = \frac{2s + 3}{4s^3 + 5s^2 + 6s + 7}$$

where order  $D(s) > \text{order } N(s)$ , as usually happens with most plants.

(2) It follows that:

$$(a) \quad sD(s) = 4s^4 + 5s^3 + 6s^2 + 7s^1 + 0s^0$$

$$(b) \quad ksN(s) = 2s^2 + 3s^1 + 0s^0$$



$$(c) \quad D(s) = 4s^3 + 5s^2 + 6s^1 + 7s^0$$

$$(d) \quad kN(s) = 2s^1 + 3s^0$$

where polynomial of  $\max(\text{order}) = 4$ , is  $sD(s)$ . But for the purpose of neater summation operations in a digital computer one could form the characteristic equation as implied by equation (III-11), as follows:

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n=4} d_k s^k + \sum_{k=0}^{n=4} e^{-Ts} d'_k s^k + B \sum_{k=0}^{n=4} c_k s^k + A \sum_{k=0}^{n=4} e^{-Ts} b_k s^k = 0 \quad (\text{III-11a})$$

where  $d_k$ ,  $d'_k$ ,  $c_k$ ,  $b_k$  for the system are tabulated in Table 3-2, and  $n=4$  is implied by the fact that the polynomial of maximum order for this case is of order 4.

TABLE 3-2

Polynomial	k				
	4	3	2	1	0
$sD(s)$	$d_4 = 4$	$d_3 = 5$	$d_2 = 6$	$d_1 = 7$	$d_0 = 0$
$k \ sN(s)$	$d'_4 = 0$	$d'_3 = 0$	$d'_2 = 2$	$d'_1 = 3$	$d'_0 = 0$
$D(s)$	$c_4 = 0$	$c_3 = 4$	$c_2 = 5$	$c_1 = 6$	$c_0 = 7$
$kN(s)$	$b_4 = 0$	$b_3 = 0$	$b_2 = 0$	$b_1 = 2$	$b_0 = 3$

### 3. Generalization

a. Having in mind the form of equation (III-11) as well as the results tabulated in Table 3-1, one can deduce that a more general form can be given to the characteristic equations of all systems discussed up to now in section III and this is as follows:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n d_k s^k + \sum_{k=0}^n e^{-\delta_{d2} \cdot T \cdot s} d'_k s^k + B \sum_{k=0}^n e^{-\delta_c \cdot T \cdot s} c_k s^k + A \sum_{k=0}^n e^{-\delta_b \cdot T \cdot s} b_k s^k = 0 \quad (\text{III-12})$$

where  $d_k$ ,  $d'_k$ ,  $c_k$ , and  $b_k$  are defined as in the previous illustrative example of this section (p. ), and  $\delta_{d2}$ ,  $\delta_c$ ,  $\delta_b$  are variables that take on values of 0 or 1 depending on the system under examination.



b. Constant "σ" Curves

For  $s = 6$ , one gets by direct substitution from (III-12) the following equation representing as usual, a family of straight lines:

$$A \left[ \sum_{k=0}^n e^{-\delta_b \cdot T \cdot \sigma_{b_k} \sigma^k} \right] + B \left[ \sum_{k=0}^n e^{-\delta_c \cdot T \cdot \sigma_{c_k} \sigma^k} \right] + \left[ \sum_{k=0}^n (d_k + e^{-\delta_{d_2} \cdot T \cdot \sigma_{d'_k} \sigma^k}) \sigma^k \right] = 0 \quad (\text{III-13})$$

c. Constant "ζ" or Constant "ω<sub>n</sub>" Curves

It has already been defined that:

$$\delta_i (i=d_2, c, b) = \begin{cases} 0 \\ \text{or} \\ 1 \end{cases} .$$

If now,  $\delta'_j$  is defined as:

$$\delta'_j (j=d_2, c, b) = \begin{cases} 1 \\ \text{or} \\ 0 \end{cases} ,$$

it follows that:

$$\delta_i + \delta'_j \equiv 1 \quad (\text{III-14})$$

So by using  $\delta_i$  and  $\delta'_j$  one can selectively maintain or discard the different terms that must or must not show up in the parameter plane solution of a particular system if this system has a characteristic equation of the form as in (III-12).

(1) Example. By examining the solutions for  $B_1$  and  $B_2$  in table 3-1, it follows that for the systems discussed up to now,  $B_1$  takes one of the forms:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad B_1 &= \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} b_{k_n}^{\omega} T_k \\ \text{or (b)} \quad B_1 &= e^{T \omega_n \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} b_{k_n}^{\omega} X_k \end{aligned}$$

This statement can be reduced into one single equation by using (III-14), and the fact that  $B_1$  is related to  $b_k$ 's and therefore to the equation  $\delta_b + \delta'_b \equiv 1$  (observe  $\delta_b$  to be related with "b<sub>k</sub>" coefficients in (III-12).



$$(c) \quad B_1 = e^{-\delta_b \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta \cdot \delta_b} \cdot \sum_{k=0}^n b_k \omega_n^k X_k + \delta'_b \sum_{k=0}^n b_k \omega_n^k T_k \quad (III-15a)$$

(d) Similarly:

$$B_2 = e^{-\delta_b \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta \cdot \delta_b} \cdot \sum_{k=0}^n b_k \omega_n^k (\zeta X_k + X_{k-1}) + \delta'_b \sum_{k=0}^n b_k \omega_n^k (\zeta T_k + T_{k-1}) \quad (III-15b)$$

Solutions for  $C_1$ ,  $C_2$  and  $D_1$ ,  $D_2$  follow similar patterns.

(e) It is of interest to note that if  $\delta'_i = 1$  ( $\delta_j = 0$ ), the presence of  $X_k$ 's and  $X_{k-1}$ 's is implied in the relevant expression for  $B_1$ ,  $B_2$ ,  $C_1$ ,  $C_2$ , or  $D_1$ ,  $D_2$ . If in the contrary,  $\delta'_j = 1$  ( $\delta_i = 0$ ), the presence of  $T_k$ 's and  $T_{k-1}$ 's is implied.

## (2) Derivation of Equations

For one to actually solve for the parameter plane equations, one must make use of the fact (as in section IIIA), that:

$$s = \omega_n (\cos \theta + j \sin \theta) = \omega_n e^{j\theta}$$

and apply it in equation (III-12) to get:

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{k=0}^n d_k \omega_n^k (\cos k\theta + j \sin k\theta) + \sum_{k=0}^n d'_k (e^{-\delta_d T \cdot (\cos \theta + j \sin \theta) \omega_n}) \omega_n^k \cdot e^{jk\theta} + \\ & \sum_{k=0}^n (B e^{-\delta_c T (\cos \theta + j \sin \theta) \omega_n}) c_k \omega_n^k e^{jk\theta} + \\ & \sum_{k=0}^n (A e^{-\delta_b T (\cos \theta + j \sin \theta) \omega_n}) b_k \omega_n^k e^{jk\theta} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

which, with appropriate manipulation inside the summation operators involving  $d'_k$ ,  $c_k$  and  $b_k$ , yields the result shown in equation (III-16).

(See next page.)





$$\sum_{k=0}^n d_k \omega_n^k (\cos k\theta + j \sin k\theta) +$$

$$e^{\delta_{d2} \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n d_k \omega_n^k \left\{ \left[ \delta_{d2} \cdot \cos(k\theta + \omega_n \cdot T \cdot \zeta) + \delta'_{d2} \cdot \cos(k\theta) \right] + \right. \\ \left. j \left[ \delta_{d2} \cdot \sin(k\theta + \omega_n \cdot T \cdot \zeta) + \delta'_{d2} \cdot \sin(k\theta) \right] \right\} +$$

$$Be^{\delta_c \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n c_k \omega_n^k \left\{ \left[ \delta_c \cdot \cos(k\theta + \omega_n \cdot T \cdot \zeta) + \delta'_c \cdot \cos(k\theta) \right] + \right. \\ \left. j \left[ \delta_c \cdot \sin(k\theta + \omega_n \cdot T \cdot \zeta) + \delta'_c \cdot \sin(k\theta) \right] \right\} +$$

$$Ae^{\delta_b \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n b_k \omega_n^k \left\{ \left[ \delta_b \cdot \cos(k\theta + \omega_n \cdot T \cdot \zeta) + \delta'_b \cdot \cos(k\theta) \right] + \right. \\ \left. j \left[ \delta_b \cdot \sin(k\theta + \omega_n \cdot T \cdot \zeta) + \delta'_b \cdot \sin(k\theta) \right] \right\} . \quad (\text{III-16})$$

From this stage by using appropriate substitutions for cosines and sines with arguments  $(k\theta)$  or  $(k\theta + \omega_n \cdot T \cdot \zeta)$ , in terms of  $X_k$ 's,  $Y_k$ 's,  $T_k$ 's, and  $U_k$ 's and their recurrence relations, exactly as defined derived and used in section IIIA, one can form the following equations after separating reals from imaginaries:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n d_k \omega_n^k T_k + e^{\delta_{d2} \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n d_k \omega_n^k (\delta_{d2} X_k + \delta'_{d2} T_k) + \\ Be^{\delta_c \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n c_k \omega_n^k (\delta_c X_k + \delta'_c T_k) + \\ Ae^{\delta_b \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n b_k \omega_n^k (\delta_b X_k + \delta'_b T_k) = 0 \quad (\text{III-17a})$$

(see next page)



and:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_k d_{kn}^{\omega k} U_k + e^{\delta_{d2} \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta} \sum_k d'_{kn}{}^{\omega k} (\delta_{d2} Y_k + \delta'_{d2} U_k) + \\
 & B e^{\delta_c \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta} \sum_k c_{kn}^{\omega k} (\delta_c Y_k + \delta'_c U_k) + \\
 & A e^{\delta_b \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta} \sum_k b_{kn}^{\omega k} (\delta_b Y_k + \delta'_b U_k) = 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{III-17b}$$

Equation (III-17b) can be expressed in terms of  $k$ 's and  $T_k$ 's instead of  $U_k$ 's and  $Y_k$ 's, in exactly the same manner as in section IIIA by using equations (B-9c) and (B-12c) of Appendix B. So the second equation of the parameter plane system becomes:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sum_{k=0}^n d_{kn}^{\omega k} (\zeta T_k + T_{k-1}) + e^{\delta_{d2} \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n d'_{kn}{}^{\omega k} [\delta_{d2} (\zeta X_k + X_{k-1}) + (\delta'_{d2} (\zeta T_k + T_{k-1}))] + \\
 & B e^{\delta_c \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n c_{kn}^{\omega k} [\delta_c (\zeta X_k + X_{k-1}) + \delta'_c (\zeta T_k + T_{k-1})] + \\
 & A e^{\delta_b \cdot T \cdot \omega_n \cdot \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n b_{kn}^{\omega k} [\delta_b (\zeta X_k + X_{k-1}) + \delta'_b (\zeta T_k + T_{k-1})] = 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{III-17c}$$

For easier reference, recurrence equation as well as special symbol relations are listed below:

- (a)  $T_{k+1} = -2\zeta T_k - T_{k-1}$
- (b)  $X_{k+1} = -2\zeta X_k - X_{k-1}$
- (c) Initial condition relations usually necessary

in digital computer calculations:

- (i)  $T_{-1} = -\zeta, T_0 = 1, T_1 = -\zeta$
- (ii)  $X_{-1} = -\left[\sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \sin(T\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}) + \zeta \cos(T\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2})\right]$
- $X_0 = \cos(T\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2})$



$$X_1 = \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \sin(T\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}) - \zeta \cos(T\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2})$$

$$(iii) \quad \delta'_j + \delta_i = 1$$

$$\delta'_j = \begin{cases} 0 \\ 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\delta_i = \begin{cases} 1 \\ 0 \end{cases}$$

$$i = j = (d_2, c, b)$$

(3) Parameter Plane Curves. Constant " $\omega_n$ " and/or constant " $\zeta$ " curves can be drawn in the parameter plane in exactly the same manner as discussed in section I-B (Siljak's approach).

(4) Conclusions.

(a) By comparison of equations (III-17) and the solutions for  $B_1, C_1, D_1, B_2, C_2, D_2$  tabulated in Table 3-1, one can observe that the derived equations (III-17) completely cover each case and furthermore they cover the case of the system shown in Figure 3-5.

(b) The equations (III-17), are valid for the case that the terms encountered in the characteristic equations examined, and involving the variable parameters A and B are either of the form:

$$(Ae^{-Ts}) \cdot (\text{Polynomial}_1(s)) + B \cdot (\text{Polynomial}_2(s))$$

or of the form:

$$A \cdot (\text{Polynomial}_3(s)) + (Be^{-Ts}) \cdot (\text{Polynomial}_4(s))$$

This was because of the specific features of the systems examined. But since the terms not involving A and B in equation (III-11) are of the form:

$$e^{-Ts} \cdot (\text{Polynomial}_5(s)) + \text{Polynomial}_6(s) ,$$

the possibility exists for a more general case with A, B as well as AB



appearing in the characteristic equation:

$$F(s) + F'(s)e^{-Ts} + A[B(s) + B'(s)e^{-Ts}] + B[C(s) + C'(s)e^{-Ts}] + AB[D(s) + D'(s)e^{-Ts}] = 0 \quad (\text{III-18})$$

The parameter plane analysis of such a general system follows next.

### C. NON-LINEAR VARIABLE PARAMETER PRODUCTS INCLUDED IN THE CHARACTERISTIC EQUATION

1. In figure 3-6 a two variable parameter system is shown, which will result in a characteristic equation, containing the AB product of these two parameters, as follows:

$$F(s) = [D(s) + sN(s)e^{-Ts}] + A[N(s)e^{-Ts}] + B[s^2N(s)e^{-Ts}] + AB[sN(s)e^{-Ts}] = 0$$

or,

$$F(s) = \sum_{k=0}^{n+1} (f_k s^k + f'_k s^k e^{-Ts}) + A \sum_{k=0}^n (b'_k s^k e^{-Ts}) + B \sum_{k=0}^{n+2} (c'_k s^k e^{-Ts}) + AB \sum_{k=0}^{n+1} (d'_k s^k e^{-Ts}) = 0 \quad (\text{III-19})$$

2. However, in order to gain more generality so as to apply the results into a broader system classification, it is wise to solve for the parameter plane equations of the following characteristic equation:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n (f_k + f'_k e^{-Ts}) s^k + \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} A(b_k + b'_k e^{-Ts}) s^k + \sum_{k=0}^m B(c_k + c'_k e^{-Ts}) s^k + \sum_{k=0}^p AB(d_k + d'_k e^{-Ts}) s^k = 0 \quad (\text{III-20})$$

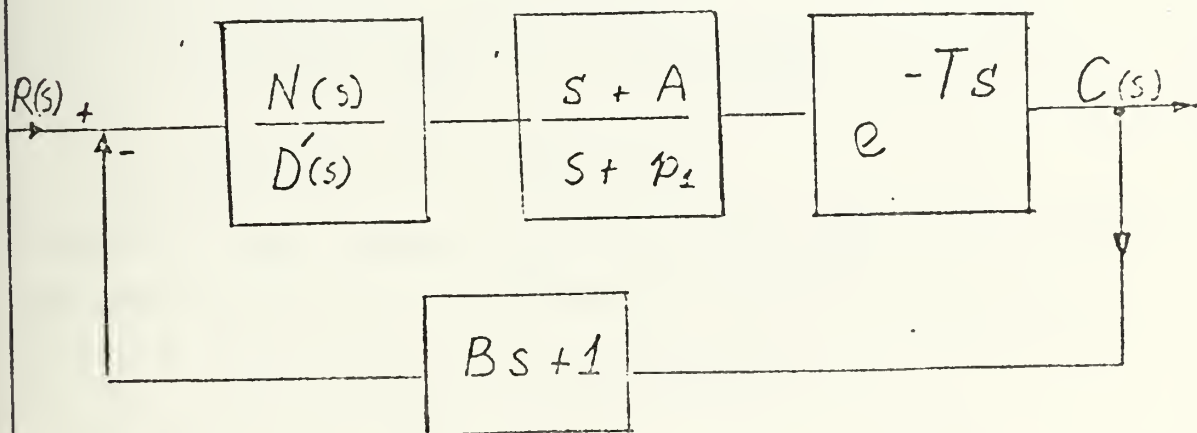
and by arbitrarily choosing  $n = \max(n, \ell, m, p)$  as well as by filling non-existent coefficients of lower degree polynomials by zeros:





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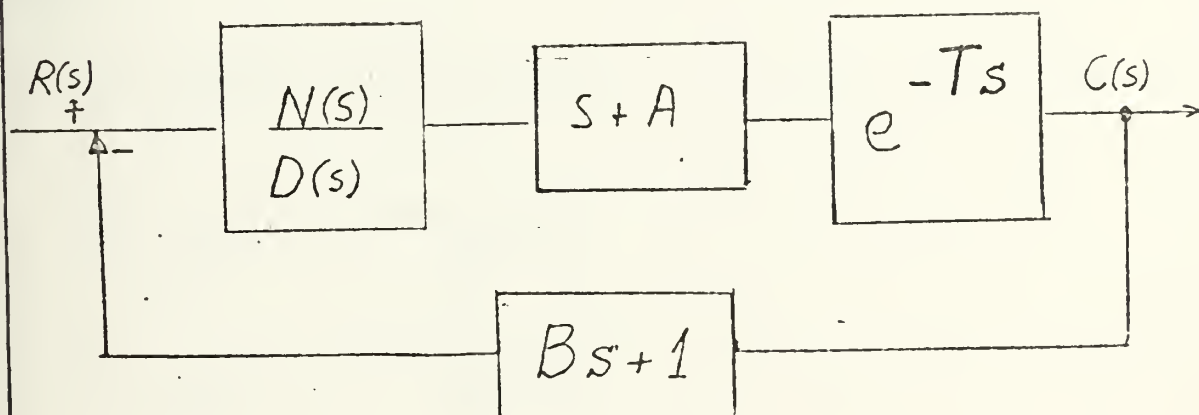


FIGURE 3-6



$$\sum_{k=0}^n (f_k + f'_k e^{-Ts}) s^k + A \sum_{k=0}^n (b_k + b'_k e^{-Ts}) s^k +$$

$$B \sum_{k=0}^n (c_k + c'_k e^{-Ts}) s^k + AB \sum_{k=0}^n (d_k + d'_k e^{-Ts}) s^k = 0$$

3. The solution for constant  $\omega_n$  and  $\zeta$  curves is again based on the equations:

$$s = \omega_n (\cos \theta + j \sin \theta) = \omega_n e^{j\theta}$$

and  $x_k = \cos(k\theta + \omega_n T \zeta), \quad y_k = \sin(k\theta + \omega_n T \zeta)$

$$T_k = \cos k\theta, \quad U_k = \sin k\theta$$

(escorted by their recursion relations), being substituted in equation (III-20), and thereafter on a separation of reals and imaginaries.

4. Actually, the set of the two equations is:

$$\begin{aligned} AB_1 + BC_1 + ABD_1 &= -F_1 \\ AB_2 + BC_2 + ABD_2 &= -F_2 \end{aligned} \tag{I-11}$$

where:

$$B_1 = \sum_{k=0}^n b_k \omega_n^k T_k + e^{T\omega_n \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n b'_k \omega_n^k X_k$$

$$C_1 = \sum_{k=0}^n c_k \omega_n^k T_k + e^{T\omega_n \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n c'_k \omega_n^k X_k$$

$$D_1 = \sum_{k=0}^n d_k \omega_n^k T_k + e^{T\omega_n \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n d'_k \omega_n^k X_k$$

$$F_1 = \sum_{k=0}^n f_k \omega_n^k T_k + e^{T\omega_n \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n f'_k \omega_n^k X_k$$



$$B_2 = \sum_{k=0}^n b_{kn} \omega^k (\zeta T_k + T_{k-1}) + e^{Tw_n \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n b'_{kn} \omega^k (\zeta X_k + X_{k-1})$$

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$$F_2 = \sum_{k=0}^n f_{kn} \omega^k (\zeta T_k + T_{k-1}) + e^{Tw_n \zeta} \sum_{k=0}^n f'_{kn} \omega^k (\zeta X_k + X_{k-1})$$

5. According to Hollister, [2], then:

$$B = \frac{-(\Delta_{FD} + \Delta_{CB}) \pm \sqrt{(\Delta_{FD} + \Delta_{CB})^2 - 4\Delta_{CD}\Delta_{FB}}}{2\Delta_{CD}}$$

and after B is defined:

$$A = \frac{F_1 + C_1 B}{B_1 + D_1 B} = \frac{F_2 + C_2 B}{B_2 + D_2 B}$$

where:

$$\Delta_{CD} = \begin{vmatrix} C_1 & C_2 \\ D_1 & D_2 \end{vmatrix}, \quad \Delta_{FD} = \begin{vmatrix} F_1 & F_2 \\ D_1 & D_2 \end{vmatrix}, \text{ etc.}$$



#### IV. STABILITY ANALYSIS IN THE PARAMETER PLANE

In this section the stability concepts in the parameter plane are built very qualitatively, at first for a delay-free system. These concepts are based on ideas similar to the ones used in conformal mapping.

For the case of systems with time delay, Karmarkar's method, based on Cauchy's principle of Argument or Michailov's test and its extension by Pontryagin, is followed and used to examine the stability region of the system shown in figure 6-1.

##### A. SYSTEMS WITH NO TRANSPORT LAG

1. Given a certain polynomial  $CE(s)$  in " $s$ ", and of  $n$ th degree. In general out of the  $n$  roots of this polynomial,  $r_s$  will lie in the shaded region of figure 4-1a and  $r_u$  in the unshaded one, but

$$n = r_u + r_s \quad (IV-1)$$

So the entire " $s$ " space is divided into two sub-spaces, by the  $s = j\omega$  line and the  $\sigma = 0$  point, which in a sense are their complex and real root boundaries.

2. Now considering the closed contour  $c$ , {consisting of  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  ( $\equiv$  the  $j\omega$  axis) as shown in figure 4-1a}, we have to realize that it maps in the AB space by appropriate mapping of its boundary. But since the  $CE(s)$  polynomial serves as the mapping function, it follows that for different characteristic equations the  $\sigma = 0$  and  $s = j\omega$  boundaries will map differently. It should also be noted that these boundaries will generally decompose the whole AB space into a finite number  $\delta$  of regions  $R_i$ , each of which will contain  $i$  roots in it. So:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\delta} i = n \quad (IV-2)$$





# L.H. <sup>\*</sup>1 "S-SPACE" DOMAIN

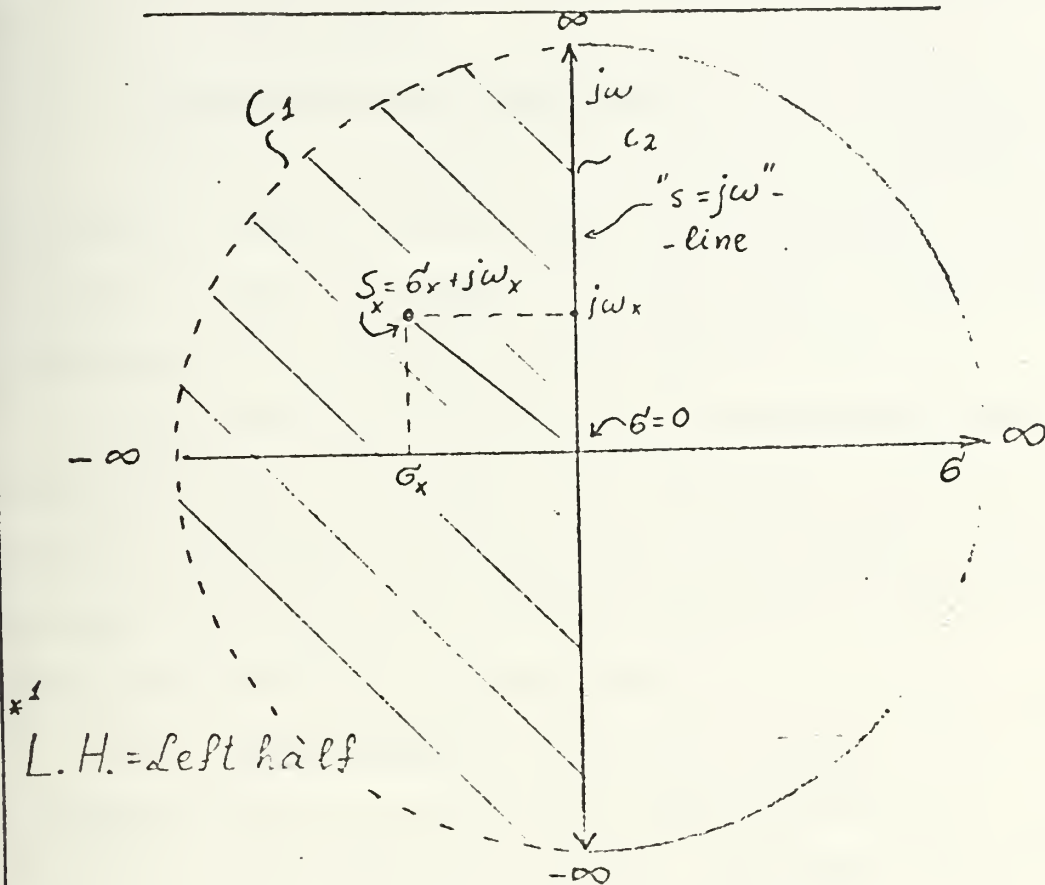


FIGURE 4-1a

## MAPPING IN THE "A,B" PLANE

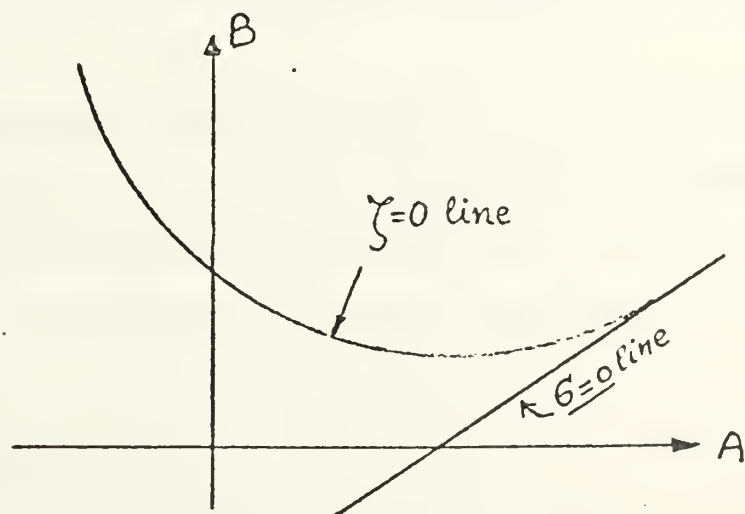


FIGURE 4-1b



3. The whole purpose of the stability analysis is to define the number of roots existing in each of the regions  $R_i$ . (In other words, "to determine the region index")

4. Contour Shading (The Shading Rule).

Consider the mapping process of figure 4-1c, where the complex root boundary is mapped in the AB plane. So if the mapping device lies at point M, it follows that  $CE(s)$  has a root  $s = j\omega_x$ . In other words, "s" maps into "M" via the mapping function  $CE(s) = 0$ .

Considering now two points in the M neighborhood, which lie in either side of the  $\zeta = 0$  boundary, one realizes that while moving from point  $M_1$  to  $M_2$ , at least one complex root in the s plane, moves from  $s_1$  to  $s_2$  or vice versa. It is therefore necessary to orient the boundary regions, according to the following rules:

a. In the s plane, a right handed rectangular system (t,n) is established, where t is the positive tangent direction and n is the normal to it in the appropriate direction. The boundary, then, is shaded always in the direction of positive n. (See figure 4-1c, upper).

Since the complex root boundary in the s-plane is  $s = j\omega$ , positive t is determined by direction of increase of the variable working along it.

b. In the AB plane, although the (t,n) system is always right-handed in the s-plane, this is not the case for the AB plane. So depending on the particular system under examination the positive n direction can be either side of t. The positive t direction is determined as before. So for:

(1) (t,n) Right-Handed: The positive "n" direction is to the left of positive "t", and the boundary is shaded to the left of positive "t".



# ROOT BOUNDARY SHADING IN THE "S AND A,B" PLANES..

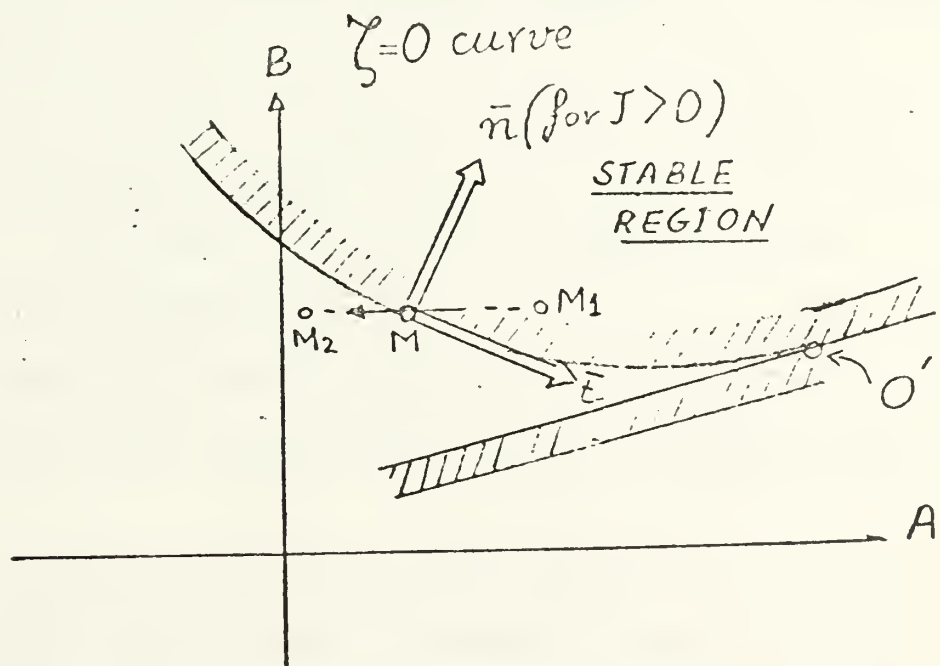
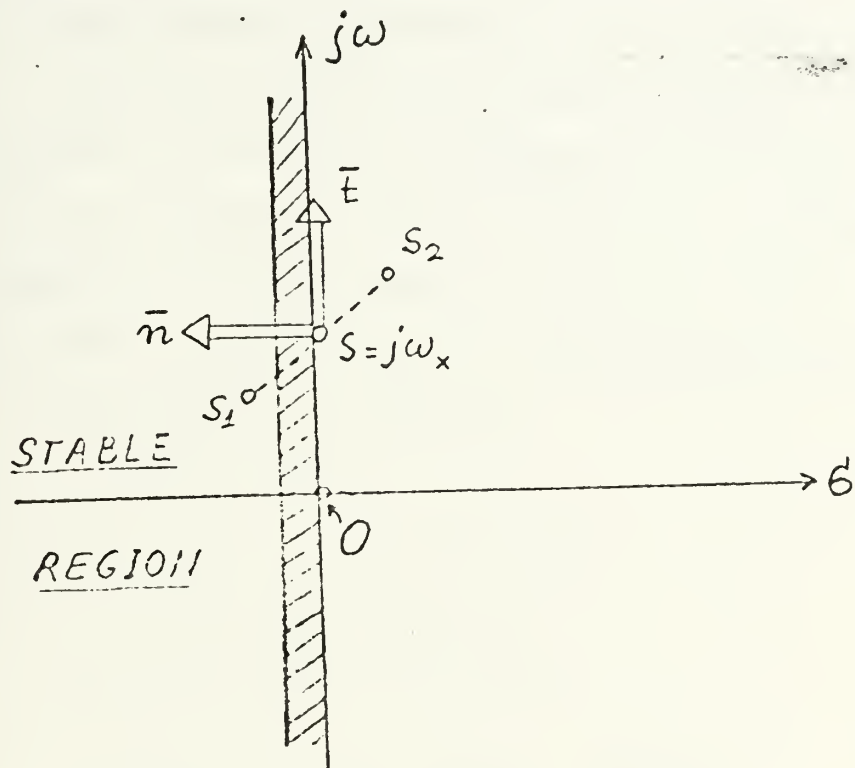


FIGURE 4-1c



(2) (t,n) Left-Handed: Since positive "n" will be directed to the right of positive "t", the boundary is shaded to the right of positive "t".

c. The Significance of Shading.

The shaded portions of the regions in both the s and AB domains correspond, in the specific case examined, to the side of the domain where all the complex roots exist. That is to the stable region since the boundary in "s" was the absolute stability boundary.

d. Rule to Define the (t,n) Co-ordinate System's Orientation

(1) Consider the polynomial

$$F(s) = CE(s) \quad (\text{IV-3a})$$

(2) Substitute  $s = \sigma + j\omega$ , to get

$$F(\sigma, \omega) = R(\sigma, \omega) + jI(\sigma, \omega) \quad (\text{IV-3b})$$

(3) After forming the Jacobian

$$J = J \left[ (R, I) / (A, B) \right] = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial R}{\partial A} & \frac{\partial I}{\partial A} \\ \frac{\partial R}{\partial B} & \frac{\partial I}{\partial B} \end{pmatrix} \quad (\text{IV-3c})$$

decide as follows:

(a) for  $J > 0$ , (t,n) is right-handed, therefore shade to the left of positive "t".

(b) for  $J < 0$ , (t,n) is left-handed, therefore shade to the right of positive "t".

e. Similar rules apply for the real root boundary, (the  $\sigma = 0$  curve for this case). However, the following rule applies successfully:

(1) Since at the point of intersection of  $s = \sigma$  with the  $s = j\omega$  curve  $\omega$  changes sign, so does the Jacobian J. Therefore, in the AB plane the  $\sigma = 0$  curve must change direction of shading at the point of intersection with the  $\zeta = 0$  curve.





(2) In the stability region neighborhood of the image  $0'$

in the  $s$ -domain, the shading of the  $\sigma = 0$  and  $\zeta = 0$  curves must coincide, since this is the case for the  $s$ -domain shading also.

5. The stability region in the AB plane, for a delay-free system, has now been established. For more details one could refer to reference [1].

## B. SYSTEMS WITH TIME DELAY

1. In this subsection, Karmarkar's approach, [6], to define if the domain of maximum number of roots is also the stability domain, will be followed since it provides in a single plot the stability domain as well as the test.

2. Karmarkar's stability theorem states the following:

"Consider  $CE(s)$  to be a transcendental polynomial:

$$CE(s) = \sum_{p,r} a_{pr} s^p e^{rs} \quad (IV-4)$$

where:

$a_{pr}$  are real coefficients

$a_{mn} \neq 0$  (the principal term)

$p, n$  are intergers, and

$$\sum a_{pr} s^p e^{rs} = \begin{bmatrix} s^0 & s^1 & \dots & s^n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{00} & a_{01} & \dots & a_{0n} \\ a_{10} & a_{11} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m0} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e^{0s} \\ e^{1s} \\ \vdots \\ e^{ns} \end{bmatrix} \quad (IV-5)$$

For  $CE(s)$  to be stable it is necessary and sufficient to find an interger  $K$  so that, starting with the line  $B = b_0$ , the total number " $\lambda$ " of alternating intersection of the  $\zeta = 0$  curve with the  $A = a_0$  and  $B = b_0$  lines



is:

$$\lambda = 4kn + m \quad (\text{IV-6a})$$

when  $\omega$  ranges over the interval

$$0 \leq \omega \leq 2\pi k + \epsilon/2, \text{ for } 0 \leq \epsilon \leq \pi/2,$$

$$\text{or for } \epsilon = \pi\delta, \quad 0 \leq \omega \leq 2\pi(k + \delta/4) \text{ for } 0 \leq \delta \leq 1. \quad (\text{IV-6b})$$

In figure (4-2), the results of this analysis for the system

$$CE(s) \equiv (s^3 + 2s^2 + s)e^s + as + b = 0$$

is shown. For this particular system one has  $m = 3$  and  $n = 1$ . So since

" $\omega$ " was varied in the range  $\omega = (\text{small} \div 14)$  and therefore :

$$\omega = 14 < 2n(k + 1/4)_{k=2} = 14.15 \equiv \omega_{\max} \text{ (where } \omega \text{ in rad/sec)}$$

for  $k=2$ , the intersection predicted by the theorem should be

$$\lambda = \left[ (4kn + m) \right]_{\substack{k=2 \\ n=1 \\ m=3}} = 11,$$

and this is what is measured, so the system is stable in the domain  $s$  bounded by the  $\sigma = 0$  line, which is the  $B=0$  line as easily one sees from  $CE(s)$ , and the first encirclement of the  $\zeta=0$  curve since the Jacobian (IV-3), is less than zero for this case.

3. The actual derivation of Karmarkar's theorem is based as already mentioned in the following theorems:

a. Mikhailov's Criterion, as a direct application of the Cauchy argument principle, [7].

b. Pontryagin Theorem on the zeros of elementary transcendental functions, [8], and the conditions imposed on  $A$  and  $B$  when the mapping operating point scribes the  $\sum = 0$  curve. (That is equivalent to having roots of the form  $s = j\omega$  in the  $s$ -plane). For details on his derivation see reference [6].



CONSTANT  $\zeta=0$  AND  $\sigma=0$  CURVES  
FOR A SYSTEM WITH T. DELAY

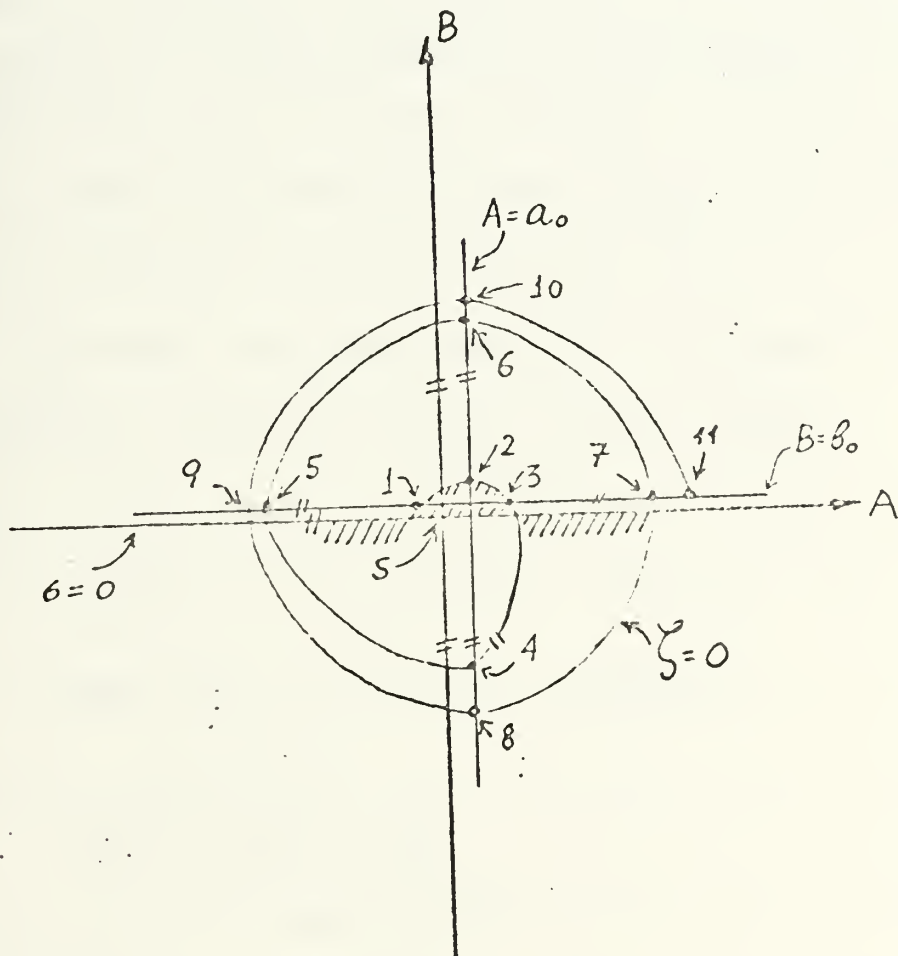


FIGURE 4-2



### C. APPLICATION ON AN ACTUAL SYSTEM

1. Consider the stability of the system shown in figure 6-1 , for different values of the time delay constant  $T = 0.0, 0.1, 0.2, 0.3$ .

It is obvious that for  $T = 0.0$  one can apply methods discussed in section IV A, and for the rest of the time delay constants the methods of section IV B are necessary.

However, a far more practical method of determining the stability of the system is to arbitrarily pick two points in either of the smallest two areas defined by the closed constant  $\zeta = 0^{*1}$  curve and the  $\sigma = 0$  straight line, and simulate the system in "t" domain. If for one point the system is stable, the domain it represents is the stable region.

2. The characteristic equation of the system is:

$$\begin{aligned} CE(s) = & \left[ s^6 + 98.4696s^5 + 4941.1680s^4 + 8978.082s^3 + 5086.9961s^2 + \right. \\ & \left. 3162.6011s - 147.59 \right] + e^{-Ts} \left[ A(s^3 + .444s^2 + .488s) + \right. \\ & \left. B(s^2 + .444s + .488) \right] = f(s) + e^{-Ts} [A g(s) + B h(s)] = 0 \quad (IV-7) \end{aligned}$$

a. In order to obtain constant " $\sigma$ " curves, let  $s = \sigma$ .

$$CE(\sigma) = f(\sigma) + e^{-T\sigma} [A g(\sigma) + B h(\sigma)] = 0$$

and for the  $\sigma = 0$  curve one gets:

$$A g(0) + B h(0) = -f(0) ,$$

$$\text{or } A \times 0 + B \times (.488) = 147.59$$

$\therefore$  for finite time delay, the constant " $\sigma = 0$ " curve is:

$$B = 302.87 \quad (IV-8)$$

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<sup>\*1</sup> Notice the equivalence of the  $\zeta=0$  and  $\Sigma = 0$  curve. In general a " $\Sigma = \alpha$ " curve is the loci for roots " $s = \alpha + j\omega$ ."





b. After multiplying equation (IV-7), by  $e^{Ts}$  one gets:

$$e^{Ts} f(s) + e^{0s} [A g(s) + B h(s)] = 0 \quad (\text{IV-7a})$$

Now since T is not an integer, call  $T = t_n/t_d$ , where " $t_n$ " and " $t_d$ " are integers, and substitute into (IV-7a):

$$e^{t_n s'} f(s') + e^{0s'} [A g(s') + B h(s')] = 0 \quad (\text{IV-9a})$$

where

$$s' = \frac{s}{t_d} \quad (\text{IV-9b})$$

As a consequence of equation (IV-5), equation (IV-9a) can also be written as:

$$\begin{aligned} (s')^0 & \left\{ e^{0s'} [0 \times A + .488B] + e^{t_n s'} [-147.59] \right\} + \\ (s')^1 & \left\{ e^{0s'} [.488A + .444B] + e^{t_n s'} [3162.6011] \right\} + \\ (s')^2 & \left\{ e^{0s'} [.444A + B] + e^{t_n s'} [5086.9961] \right\} + \\ (s')^3 & \left\{ e^{0s'} [A + 0 \times B] + e^{t_n s'} [8978.082] \right\} + \\ (s')^4 & \left\{ e^{0s'} [0] + e^{t_n s'} [4941.1680] \right\} + \\ (s')^5 & \left\{ e^{0s'} [0] + e^{t_n s'} [98.4696] \right\} + \\ (s')^6 & \left\{ e^{0s'} [0] + e^{t_n s'} [1.0] \right\} = 0 \quad (\text{IV-9c}) \end{aligned}$$

According to the definition of section IV B, the principal term,  $(s^m a_{mn} e^{ns})$ , is:

$$(s')^6 (1.0) e^{t_n s'} \quad (\text{IV-10})$$

where  $m = 6$ ,  $n = t_n$  and  $a_{mn} = 1.0$ .

So for CE(s) to be stable it is needed to find an integer

k such that, for  $\omega' = (\omega/t_d)$  in the range  $0 \leq \omega' \leq 2\pi k + \frac{\epsilon}{2} = \pi(2k + \frac{\delta}{4})$ ,



where:

$$0 \leq \epsilon \leq \frac{\pi}{2}, \text{ and } 0 \leq \delta \leq 1,$$

the total number of intersections,  $\lambda$ , of the  $\zeta = 0$  curve with the A,B axes moved to a point  $P(A=a_0, B=b_0)$  is:

$$\lambda = 4kn + m \equiv (4t_n)k + 6$$

In Table 4-1, the columns under the heading "calculation", are "filled in" according to these two formulas giving " $\lambda$  and  $\omega$ " for  $t_n = (1,2,3)$ , which correspond to time delay constant values of  $T = (.1, .2, .3)$ . The rest of the columns are filled in relation to a computer solution of the " $\zeta=0$ " curve vs frequency and this will be discussed later in this section.

c. Another fact of practical importance to note is that karmarkar's theorem starts counting crossections of the  $\zeta=0$  curve with the axes through a testing point in the A,B space, from  $\omega=0$ . But any digital machine must have an initial value of  $\omega \neq 0$ .

So it is necessary to calculate the origin of the  $\zeta=0$  curve for  $\omega$  tending to zero. This limiting point can be calculated rather easily since for the case of  $T=0$  the time delay effect is not present. But also for  $\omega \rightarrow 0$  on the  $\zeta=0$  curve, the time delay effect is also unimportant since:

$$\lim_{T \rightarrow 0} e^{-Ts} = \lim_{\omega \rightarrow 0} e^{-j\omega T} \quad (\text{IV-11})$$

So the origin of the constant  $\zeta=0$  curves is the same for a system with a variable time-delay constant, and independent of  $T$ .

e. For the particular system of equation (IV-7), one takes the limit by operating on  $CE(s)$  as follows:

$$\lim_{\omega \rightarrow 0} (\zeta=0, \text{ curve}) = \lim_{\omega \rightarrow 0} CE(j\omega)$$



But this operation will strike out all the "s" dependent terms of CE(s), and therefore

$$\lim_{\omega \rightarrow 0} CE(j\omega) = -147.59 + .488B$$

and by equating that to zero the solution is again

$$B = 302.87 \quad (IV-12)$$

One should anticipate this continuity of real and complex root boundary since for  $\omega \rightarrow 0$  the time delay effect is not present and therefore the discussion of section IV A, is valid.

f. It remains now to determine the value of the Jacobian in equation (IV-3c). This Jacobian is in general a function of  $\sigma$ ,  $\omega$ , A, B so for a particular  $\sigma$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{\sigma \rightarrow a} J(\sigma, \omega, A, B) &= \lim_{\sigma \rightarrow a} \left( \frac{\partial R}{\partial A} \frac{\partial I}{\partial B} - \frac{\partial R}{\partial B} \frac{\partial I}{\partial A} \right) = \\ &= \lim_{\sigma \rightarrow a} \frac{\partial R}{\partial A} \cdot \lim_{\sigma \rightarrow a} \frac{\partial I}{\partial B} - \lim_{\sigma \rightarrow a} \frac{\partial R}{\partial B} \cdot \lim_{\sigma \rightarrow a} \frac{\partial I}{\partial A} \end{aligned}$$

and because of the nature of the derivative operation, and the well behaved characteristic equation, the order of the limit and derivative operators can be interchanged. So for  $\sigma \rightarrow a = 0$ :

$$J(0, \omega, A, B) = \frac{\partial R(0, \omega)}{\partial A} \cdot \frac{\partial I(0, \omega)}{\partial B} - \frac{\partial R(0, \omega)}{\partial B} \cdot \frac{\partial I(0, \omega)}{\partial A}$$

Now referring to equation (IV-3b), R and I will be computed for  $T=0$ , and the same orientation of the (t,n) coordinate system will be assumed for  $T \neq 0$  since for  $\omega = \omega_0 = 0$  and a differential change in  $\omega$ , (to cause  $\omega = \omega_0 + d\omega = 0 + d\omega$ ), the (t,n) orientation shouldn't change. But once established the orientation of the  $\zeta=0$  curve cannot change. So the orientation for a system with variable time delay is independent of T.

Now taking into account that some terms of R and I will



disappear in the derivative operations, define:

$$R_{\text{mod}}(0, \omega) = -.444\omega^2 A - \omega^2 B + .488B$$

$$I_{\text{mod}}(0, \omega) = -\omega^3 A + .488\omega A + .444\omega B$$

to be regular R,I polynomials, with the A,B independent terms deleted, and the expression for J is:

$$J(0, \omega) = -(\omega)^5 + .291\omega^3 + .488\omega^2 - .238$$

Considering cases with  $\omega > 0$ :

$$\lim_{\omega \rightarrow \infty} J(0, \omega) = -(\omega)^5 < 0$$

and  $\lim_{\omega \rightarrow 0} J(0, \omega) = -.238 < 0$

So at the " $\omega$ " extremes  $J < 0$  and due to the nature of the problem the same must occur for intermediate values. Therefore,  $(t, n)$ , is Left-Handed and for  $\omega$  increasing the shading goes to the right of the  $\zeta=0$  curve.

### 3. Digital Computer Stability Analysis

a. With all this information available the " $\sigma = 0$ " and " $\zeta = 0$ " curves are solved with the aid of a digital computer and the program of Appendix D.

b. This was done for  $T = (0.0, 0.1, 0.2, 0.3)$ , and the results are displayed as follows:

(1) Maximum root regions: In figures from 4-3 to 4-6.

(2) Stability analysis: For a point P in the A,B plane which lies in the general area of the system of section VI is going to to operate, (that is,  $P = (A = 5722, B = 10568)$ ), the  $\zeta = 0$  curve was drawn resulting to crossections with the  $A_0 = 5722$  and  $B_0 = 10568$  lines as shown in figures 4-7, 4-8, 4-9.





c. By using this information the rest of the table 4-1 was filled in and the partial conclusion was:

(1) For  $T = 0.1$  and  $0.2$ , the system was found to be stable.

(2) For  $T = 0.3$ , the " $\omega$  range" of the simulation obtained showed that for  $k=0$ ,  $k=1$  the requirement for stability was not obtained.

#### 4. General Conclusions

The first thing to notice is that for  $T = 0.0$  one gets the biggest maximum root region. This AB region is with no other reservation, the stable region in the AB plane.

As the time delay constant is increased the maximum root region is decreased. But still, this maximum root region is not the stable region. According to Karmarkar's criterion the system with  $T = 0.3$  is not defined stable for  $k=1$  and so one should try  $k > 1$ . These results will be checked out and evaluated in section VI, where this practical design problem is encountered in more detail.

5. Notice also that for the one variable parameter, " $k$ ", system of figure 2-2 the conclusion was that for increasing time delay constant the maximum  $k$  for stability was decreasing. So in a sense the stable "parameter line" was decreasing.

In the two variable parameter system one has also a decreasing area of stability in the parameter plane with increasing  $T$ . This should be expected since the physical situation remains the same.

As a result of that we should expect the volume or the hypervolume of stability, if the system can be stable at all for a given time delay constant for a third or higher order variable parameter system, to decrease with " $T$ " increasing.



TABLE 4-1

Delay Constants	$t_n$	$t_d$	k selected	Calculation		Simulation		Remarks
				$\lambda$	$\omega_{\max}$	$\lambda$	$\omega$	
0.1	1	10	3	18	$62.8(3+\frac{\delta}{4})$ = 204.2 rad/sec	18	203.5 rad/sec	Stable
0.2	2	10	1	14	$62.8(1+\frac{\delta}{4})$ = 78.52 rad/sec	14	77.2 rad/sec	Stable
0.3	3	10	1	18	$62.8(1+\frac{\delta}{4})$ = 78.52 rad/sec	19	77.2 rad/sec	Not defined. Should check for $k > 1$



CONSTANT  $G=0$  AND  $\delta=0$   
CURVES FOR  $T=0.0$

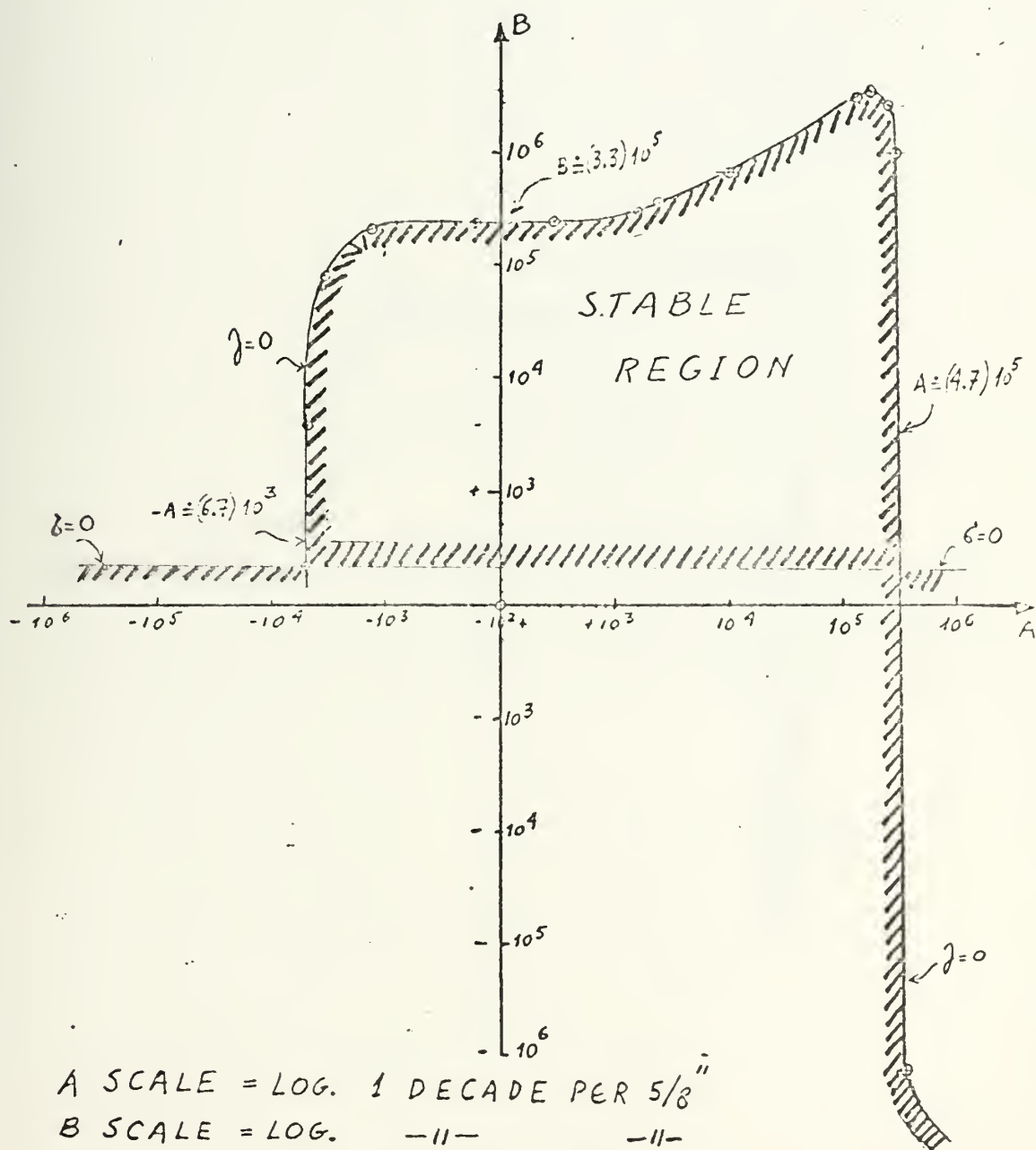
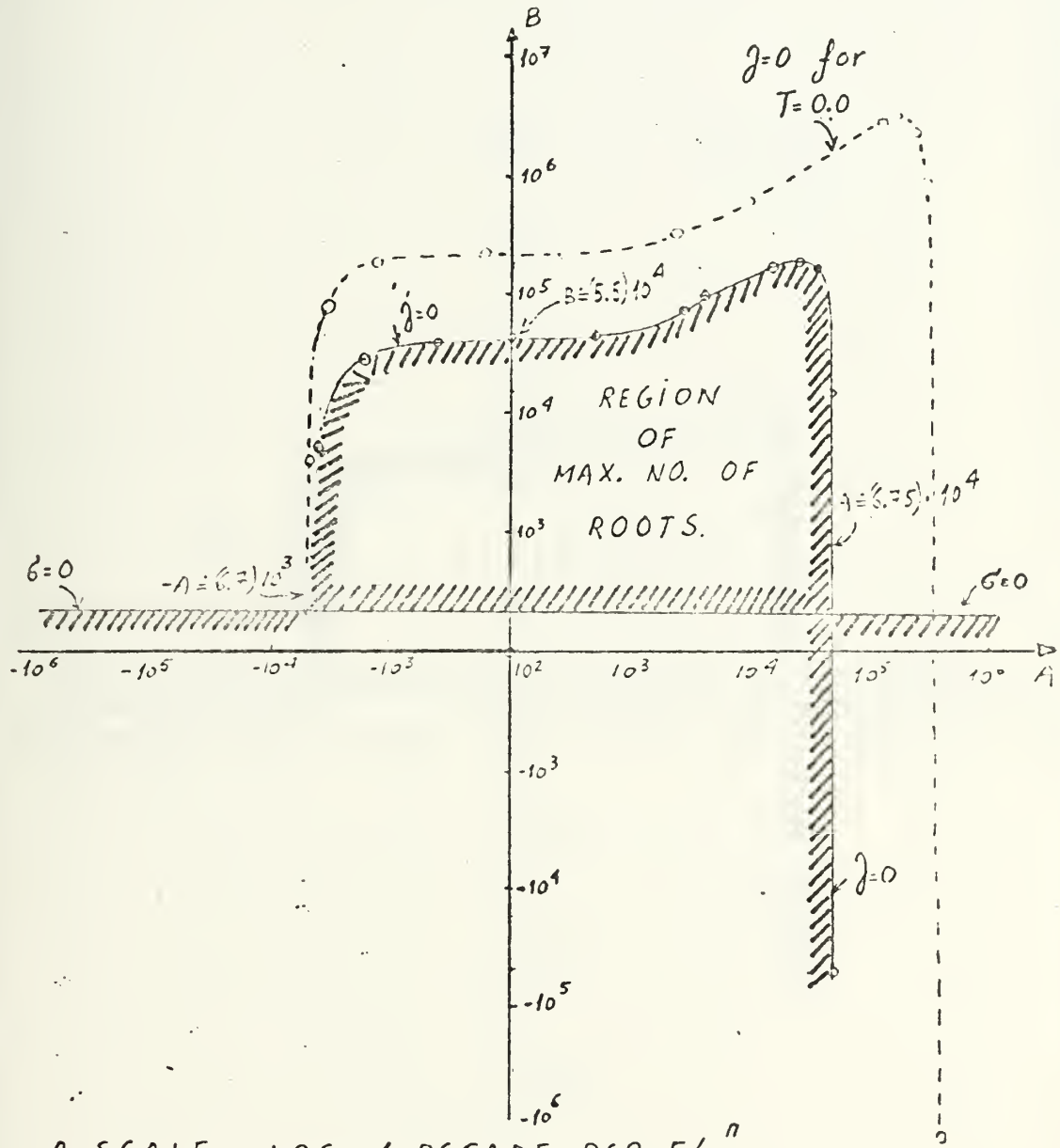


FIGURE 4-3



CONSTANT  $G=0$  AND  $\xi=0$   
 CURVES FOR  $T=0.1$



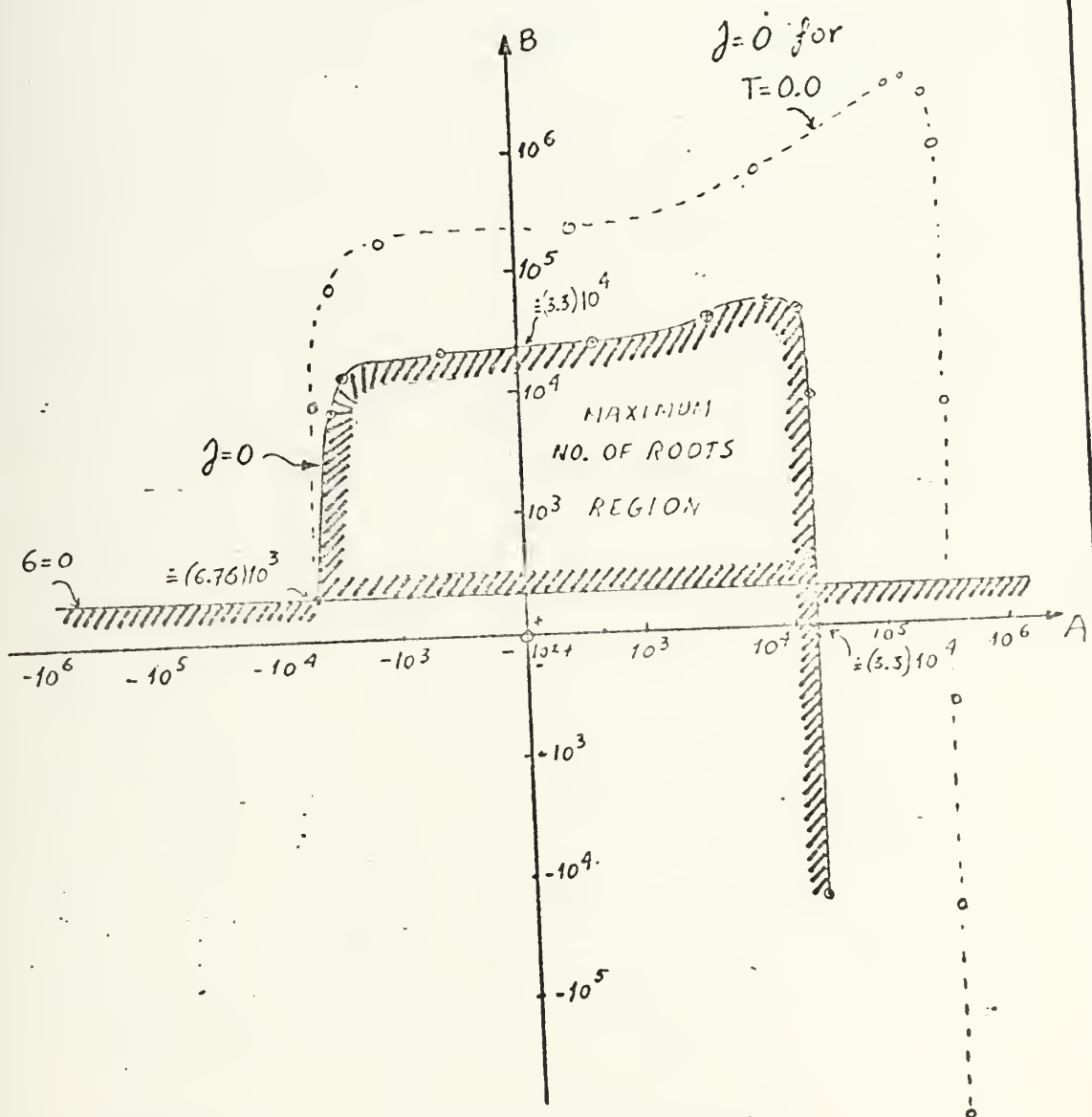
A SCALE = LOG. 1 DECADE PER  $5/8^n$   
 B SCALE = LOG. — II — — II —

FIGURE 4-4





CONSTANT  $G=0$  AND  $\xi=0$   
 CURVES FOR  $T=0.2$



A SCALE = LOG. 1 DECADE PER  $5/8''$   
 B SCALE = LOG. —"— —"

FIGURE 4-5



CONSTANT  $G=0$  AND  $\zeta=0$   
 CURVES FOR  $T=0.3$

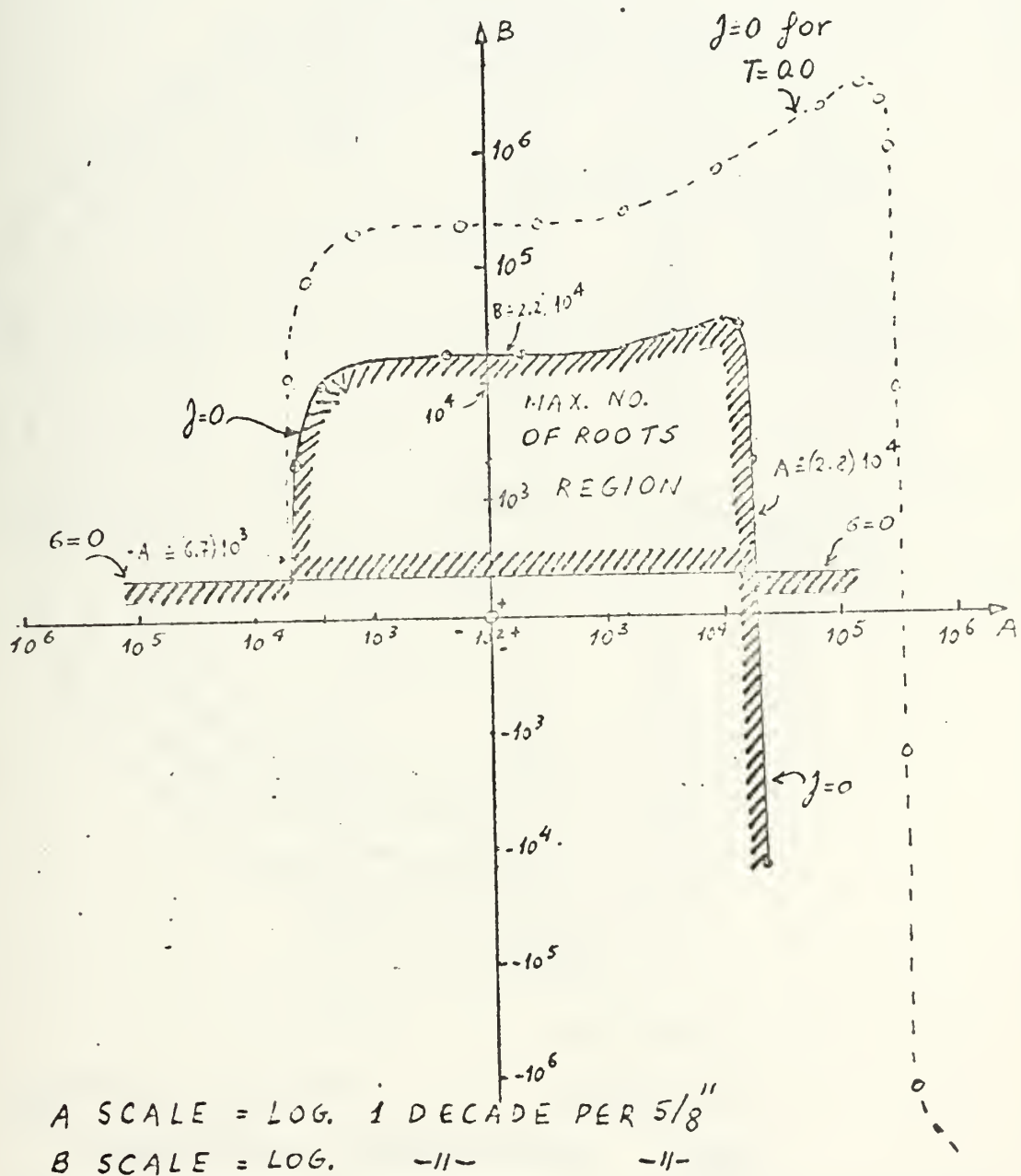
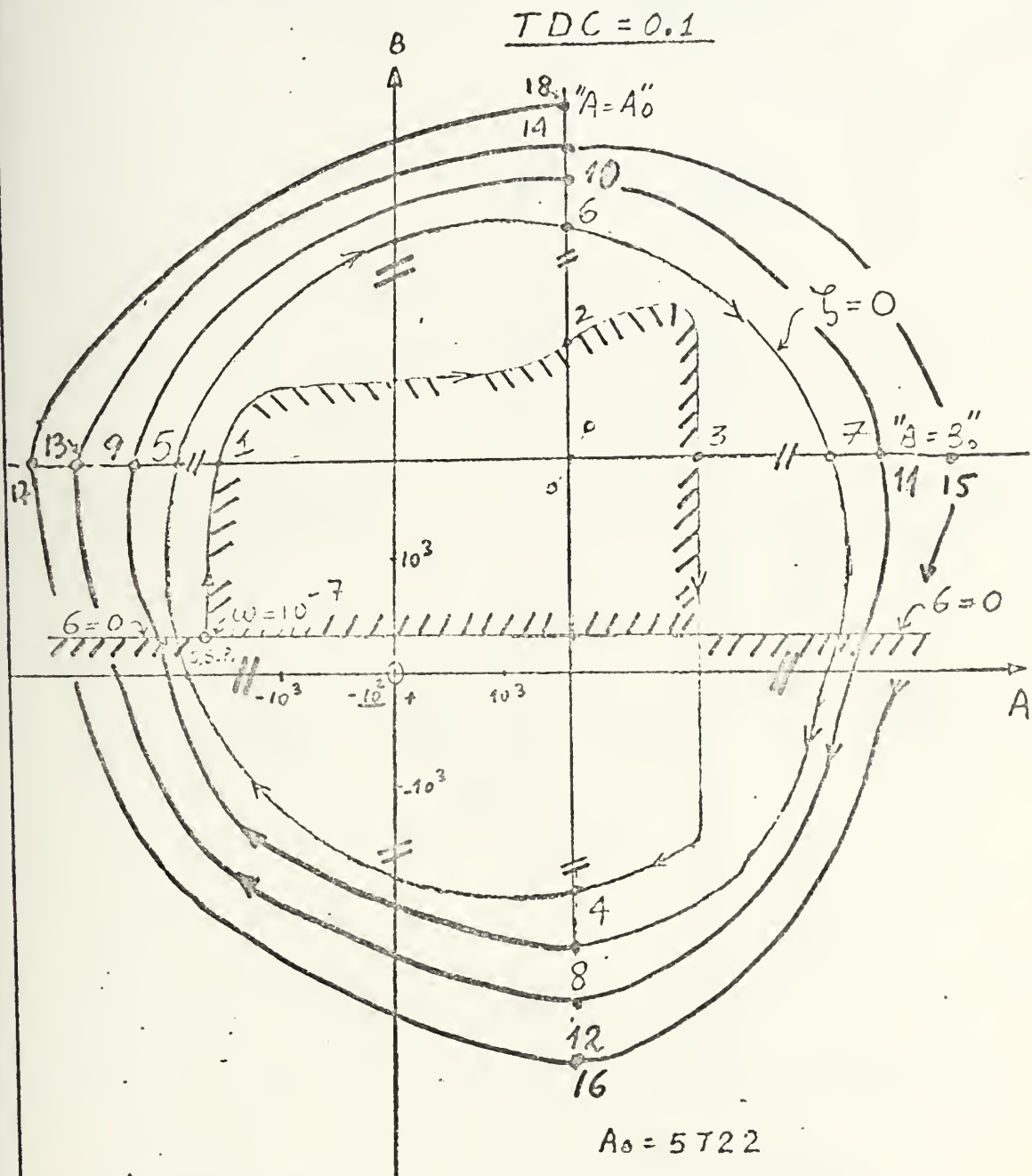


FIGURE 4-6



# STABILITY ANALYSIS



$$A_0 = 5722$$

$$B_0 = 10568$$

$\eta = 18$  for  $\omega$  between:

(202.17 and 205.57), rad/sec.

S.S.P  $\triangleq$  Simulation Starting-  
- point.

Scale

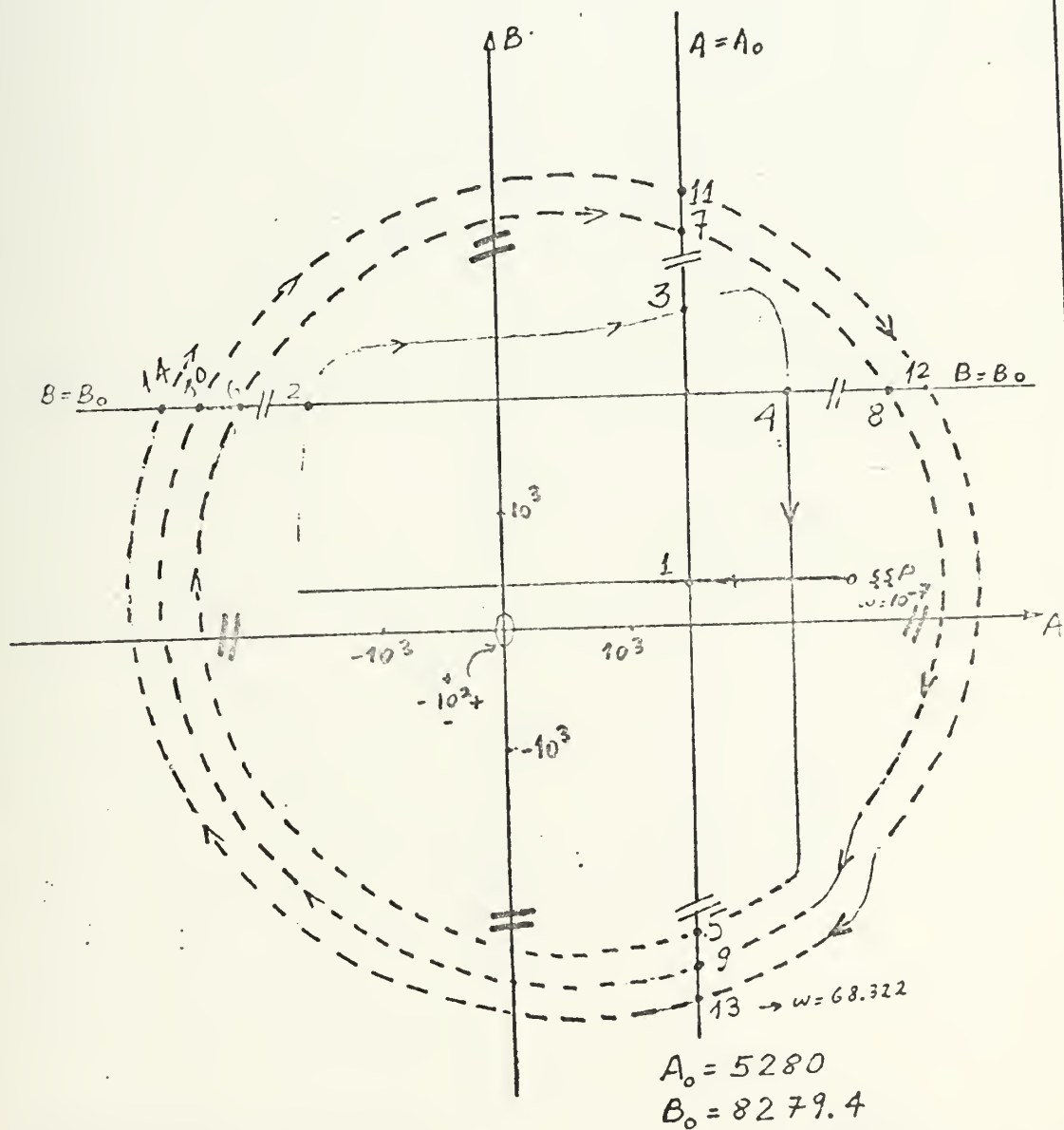
A, B = LOG. 1 DEC. / 5/8"

FIGURE 4-7



# STABILITY ANALYSIS

TDC = 0.2



$\lambda = 14$  for  $\omega$  between  $(75.081 \div 78708)$   
 S.S.P  $\triangle$  Simulation Starting point

Scale  
 $A, B = \text{LOG. 1 DEC. } / 5/8''$

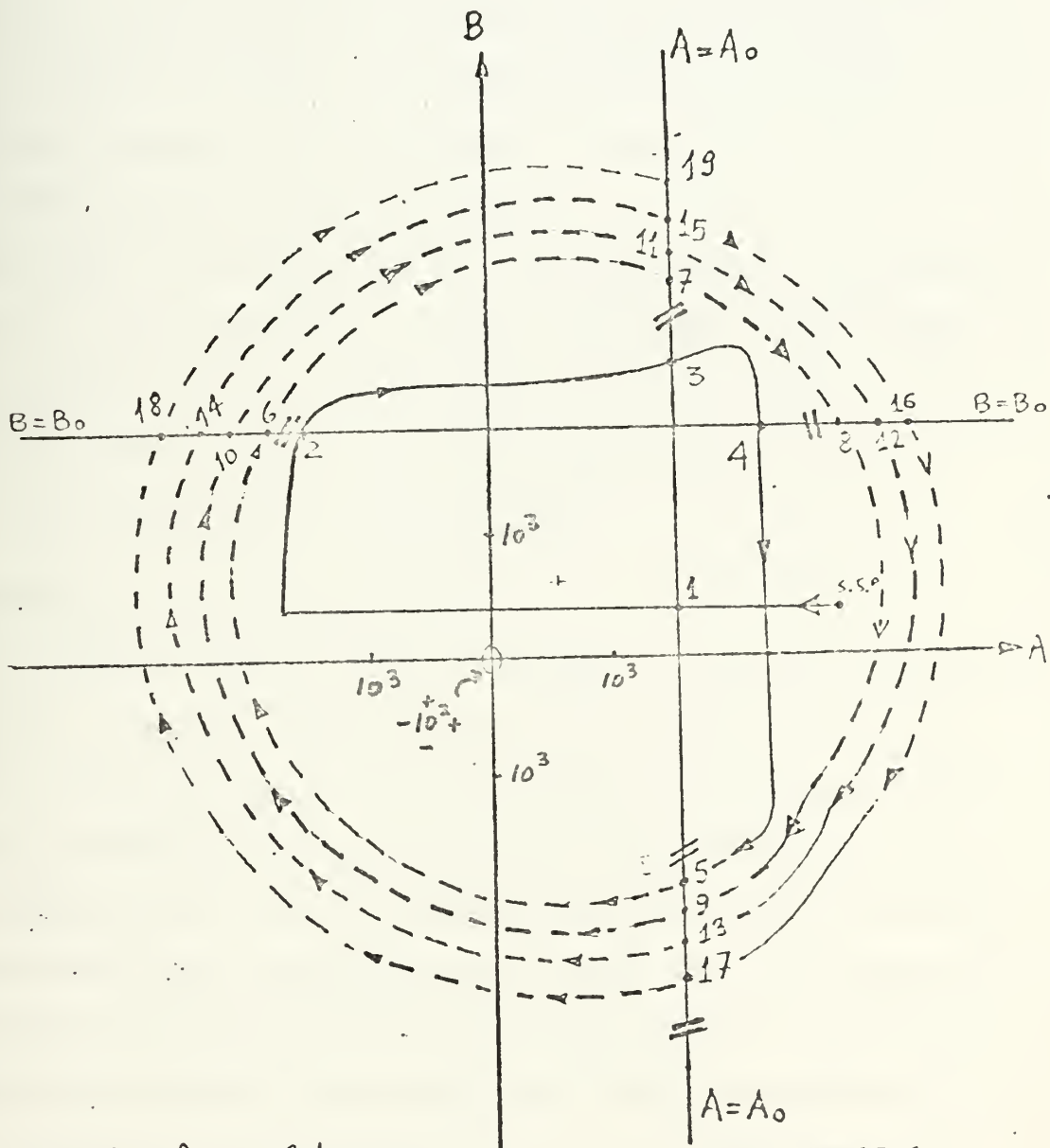
FIGURE 4-8





# STABILITY ANALYSIS

T.D.C = 0.3



$\lambda = 19$  for  $w$  between  
(75.081 and 73.708)

S.S.P = simulation  
starting point

$A_0 = 4463.6$   
 $B_0 = 6064.1$

Scale:

$A, B = \text{LOG. 1 DEC. / 5/8"}$

FIGURE 4-9



## V. SYSTEMS WITH THREE VARIABLE PARAMETERS

The purpose of this section is to provide a general way of analysis of systems with three variable parameters to meet specified conditions.

In the analysis to follow, a certain knowledge of the basis of descriptive geometry is needed, so for the reader who is not familiar with the subject, reference [9] is recommended. However, the elementary concepts needed later are presented as well.

The attack to the solution of the most general case of a system with time delay is done indirectly. In fact, a system with characteristic equation linear in  $A, B, \Gamma$  is first analysed so that the concepts of the solution are being built first for this simpler case. The transition then to the basic objective is not difficult.

### A. ELEMENTS OF DESCRIPTIVE GEOMETRY

1. Consider a three dimensional orthogonal coordinate system, with axes  $A, B, \Gamma$ . Shown in figure 5-1 is the set of points  $P_1, P_2, P_3, P_4$ .

2. The purpose of the descriptive geometry is to provide means of accurate representation and measurements of a three dimensional space in a two dimensional one. So if for this purpose the plane  $OB\Gamma$  is selected as the reference where the measurements will take place, the projections of any point of the actual system on the actual  $OA\Gamma$  plane, can be shown on the reference without distortion by just a  $90^\circ$  clockwise rotation around the  $O\Gamma$  axis. Figure 5-2 then will result in which  $B$  and  $-A$  as well as  $A$  and  $-B$  axes coincide. The projections of any point on the  $OB\Gamma$  plane are shown by "+" and on the  $OA\Gamma$  plane are shown by "□".



# STRAIGHT LINE IN A THREE DIMENSIONAL SPACE

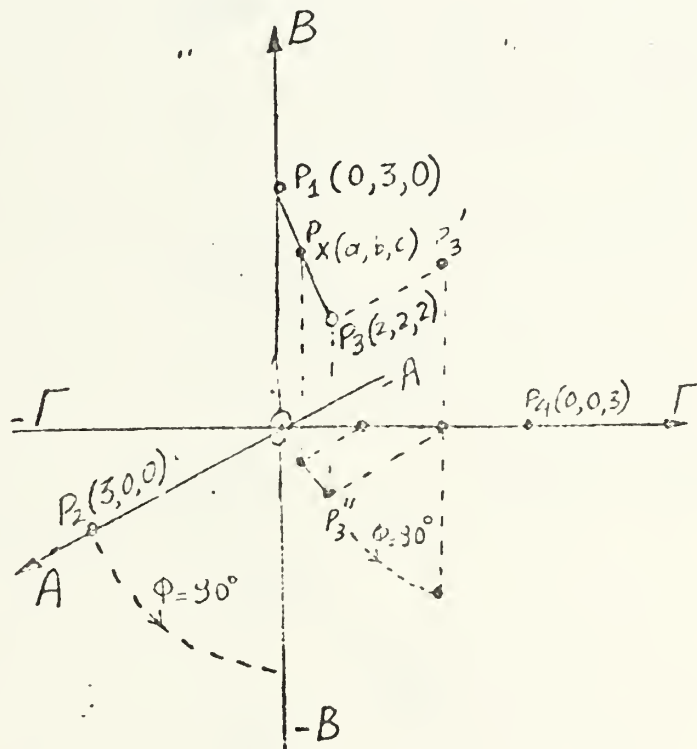


FIGURE 5-1



# A 3-DIMENSIONAL STRAIGHT-LINE REPRESENTATION, IN TWO DIMENSIONS

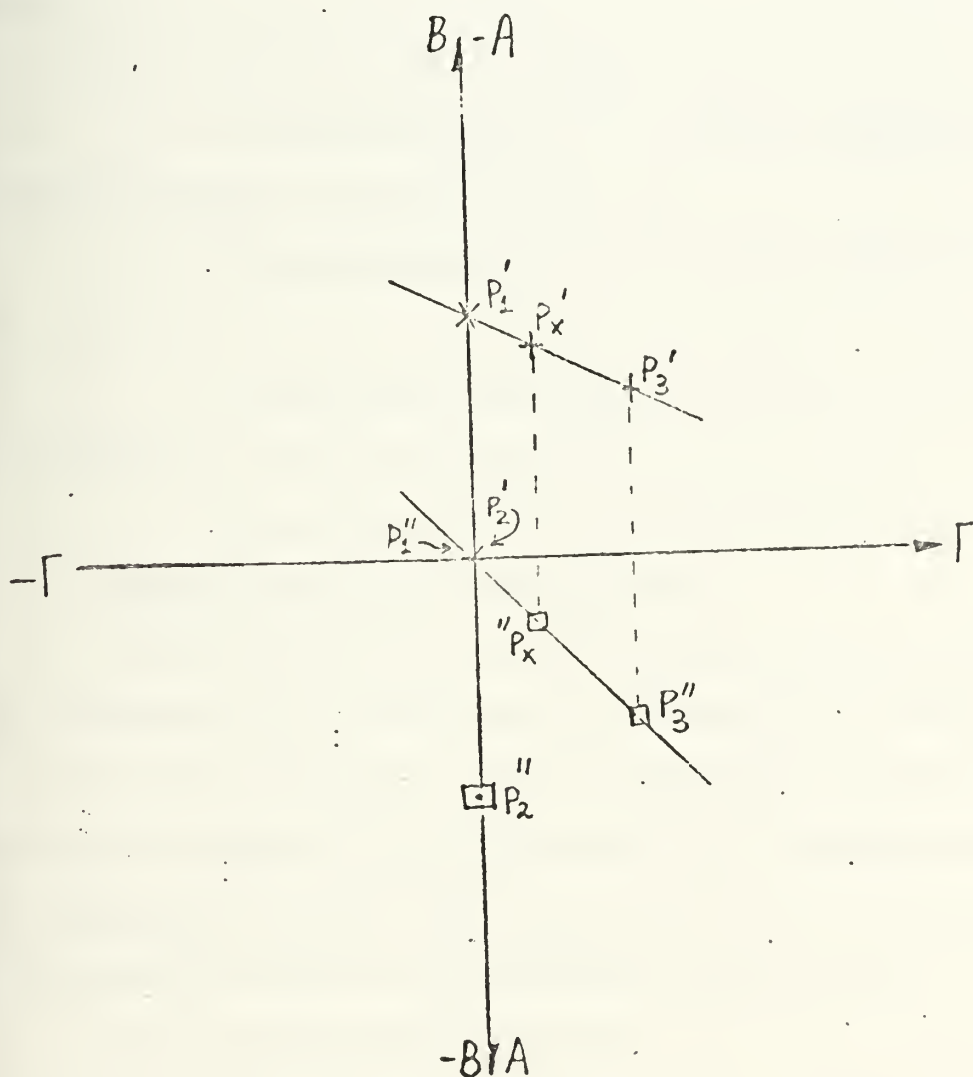


FIGURE 5-2





### 3. Points on the Reference Plane

By inspection of figures 5-1 and 5-2 one can note the following:

a. A point P in the actual coordinate system, can be represented by two points P' and P'' on the reference plane. So we have a one into two forward mapping ( and a two to one reverse).

b. These two points (P',P'') that form the image of P, lie on a line normal to the  $O\Gamma$  axis, due to the nature of the image generation process.

c. If a three dimensional point lies:

(1) on the  $OB\Gamma$  plane, its P'' must lie on the  $O\Gamma$  axis in the descriptive geometry representation (e.g.  $P_1$ ).

(2) on the  $OA\Gamma$  plane, its P' must lie on the  $O\Gamma$  axis also (e.g.  $P_2$ ).

(3) on the  $A=B$  or  $A=-B$  plane, its P' and P'' must have the same distance from the  $O\Gamma$  axis (e.g.  $P_3$ ).

(4) on the  $O\Gamma$  axis, its P' and P'' coincide (e.g.  $P_4$ ).

### 4. Straight Lines on the Reference Plane

If now points  $P_1$   $P_3$  are joined together to form the straight line they define in the actual space, it is reasonable to anticipate that the images of this line in the reference plane must be the two straight lines that are defined by  $(P_1' P_3')$  and  $(P_1'' P_3'')$ . Furthermore for each point  $P_x(a,b,c)$  on the three dimensional space there is one and only one set of points  $P_x'$  and  $P_x''$  in the reference plane such that:

a.  $P_x'$  lies on the  $P_1'P_3'$  line

b.  $P_x''$  lies on the  $P_1''P_3''$  line

c. If g is the intersection of OG and P'  $P_x''$  on the reference plane;

$$|g P_x'| = b , \quad |g P_x''| = a , \quad |Og| = c .$$



## 5. Planes on the Reference Plane

A plane is represented by two of its lines or three of its points in the 3-D space. So it needs four straight lines or six points in order to be defined in the reference plane. Notice the exceptions when the actual plane is:

a. Normal to the  $O\Gamma$  axis. In this case all the four images of any two lines selected to represent it, will coincide and will be normal to the  $O\Gamma$  axis.

b. Represented by its intercept lines on the  $OBI\Gamma$  and  $OAI\Gamma$  planes. In this case two straight line images will suffice and the other two will coincide with the  $O\Gamma$  axis.

## 6. Lines Other Than Straight, on the Reference Plane

Much of the power of the descriptive geometry representation is lost when one deviates from straight lines or planes. For example, the intersection of a straight line and a plane can be determined by a standard procedure, but of a curved line and a plane the intersection can be determined by trial and error only.

However, any continuous line in actual space will give continuous images in the reference plane and vice versa.

So if one knows that the images  $(P_1', P_1'')$ ,  $(P_2', P_2'')$ ,  $(P_3', P_3'')$  and  $(P_4', P_4'')$  as shown in figure 5-3b projected by points  $P_1$ ,  $P_2$ ,  $P_3$ , and  $P_4$  which formed a continuous line in space, then one can anticipate that the projections of the actual line segment would more or less look as shown in figure 5-3b and the approximation of the actual curve shown in figure 5-3a would be more accurate if more points at closer distances were available.



# A CURVED LINE IN SPACE

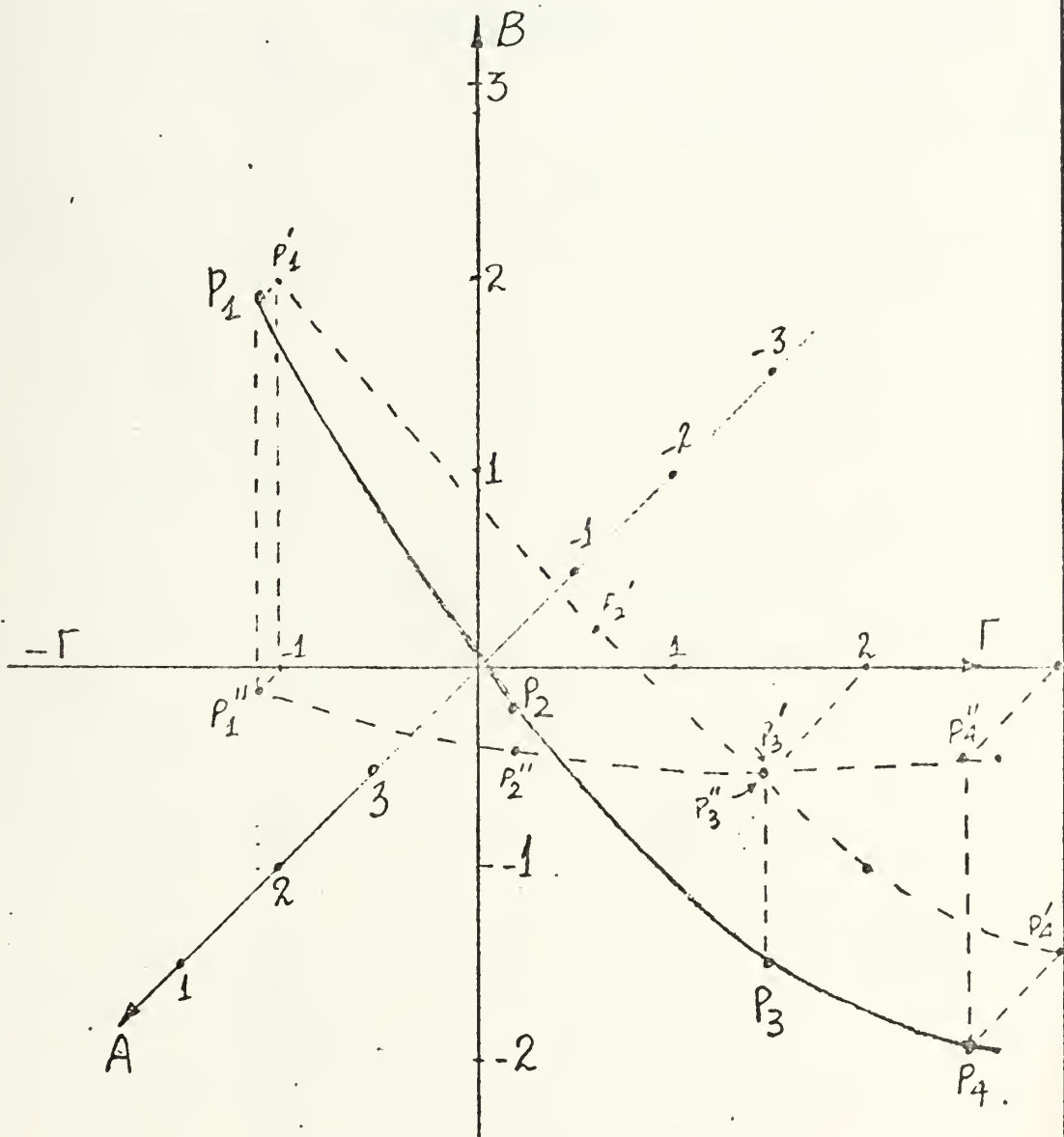


FIGURE 5-3a



# A "3-DIM." CURVED LINE REPRESENTATION, IN A "2-DIM"

SPACE

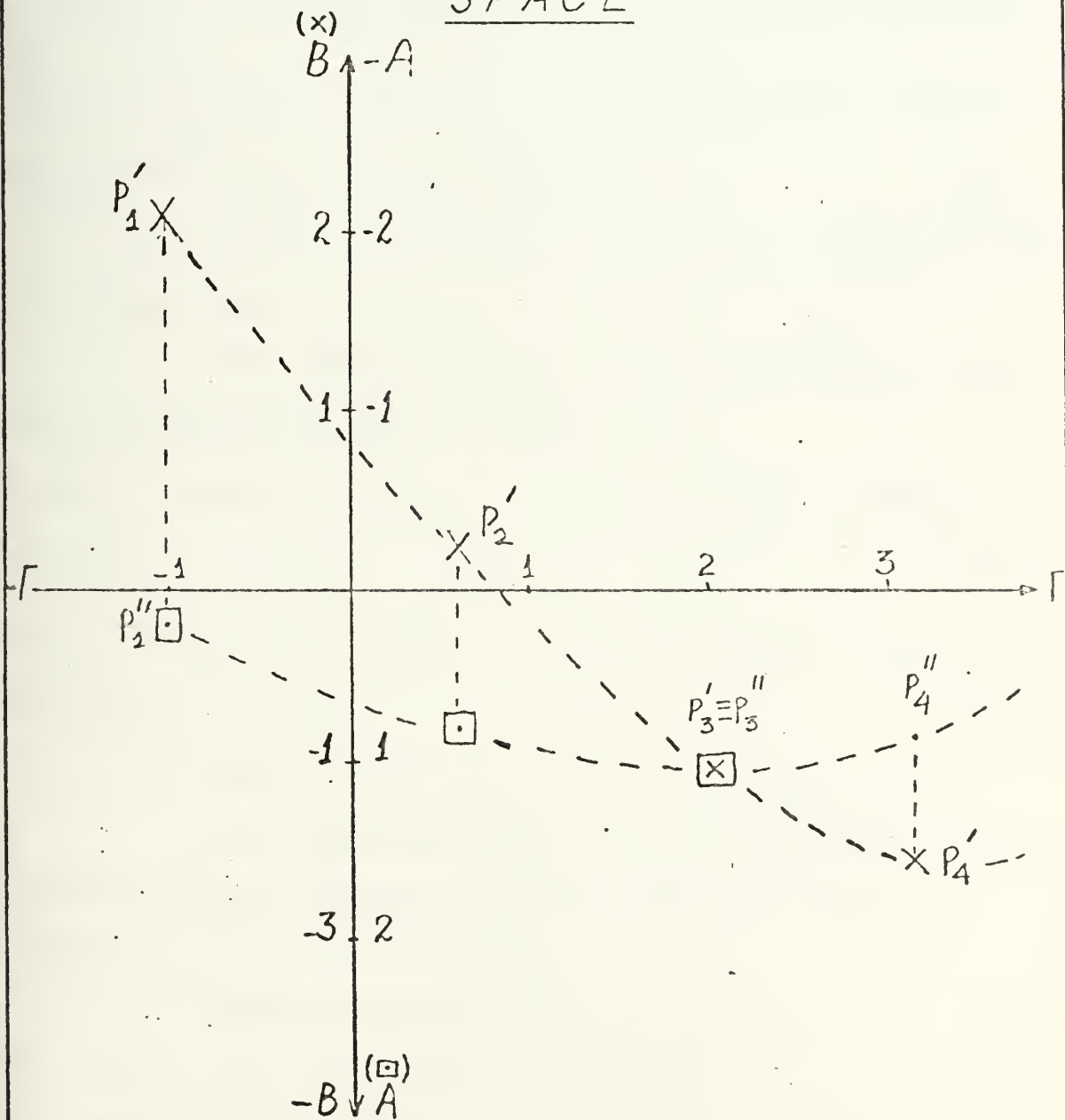


FIGURE 5-36





## B. GENERAL THREE VARIABLE PARAMETER SYSTEM WITH TIME DELAY--A CONCEPT

1. A simple extension of the case of a system with two parameters, entails that for the case of three variable parameters A (Alpha), B (Beta),  $\Gamma$  (Gamma), the general characteristic equation would look like:

$$\begin{aligned} & A \left[ C_1(s) + e^{-Ts} C_2(s) \right] + B \left[ D_1(s) + e^{-Ts} D_2(s) \right] + \Gamma \left[ E_1(s) + e^{-Ts} E_2(s) \right] + \\ & AB \left[ F_1(s) + e^{-Ts} F_2(s) \right] + A\Gamma \left[ H_1(s) + e^{-Ts} H_2(s) \right] + B\Gamma \left[ I_1(s) + e^{-Ts} I_2(s) \right] + \\ & AB\Gamma \left[ K_1(s) + e^{-Ts} K_2(s) \right] + \left[ L_1(s) + e^{-Ts} L_2(s) \right] = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (V-1)$$

2. The solution for the  $\zeta$  and  $\omega_n$  curves for this system must follow the following steps:

a. First derive two sets of equations (separating once again reals and imaginaries) in terms of  $\zeta$  and  $\omega_n$ , e.g.

$$\begin{aligned} & A\alpha_1(\zeta, \omega_n) + B\delta_1(\zeta, \omega_n) + \Gamma\epsilon_1(\zeta, \omega_n) + AB\phi_1(\zeta, \omega_n) + A\Gamma\eta_1(\zeta, \omega_n) + B\Gamma\varphi_1(\zeta, \omega_n) + \\ & AB\Gamma\mu_1(\zeta, \omega_n) = -\xi_1(\zeta, \omega_n) \quad , \quad \text{and} \end{aligned} \quad (V-2a)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & A\alpha_2(\zeta, \omega_n) + B\delta_2(\zeta, \omega_n) + \Gamma\epsilon_2(\zeta, \omega_n) + AB\phi_2(\zeta, \omega_n) + A\Gamma\eta_2(\zeta, \omega_n) + B\Gamma\varphi_2(\zeta, \omega_n) + \\ & AB\Gamma\mu_2(\zeta, \omega_n) = -\xi_2(\zeta, \omega_n) \end{aligned} \quad (V-2b)$$

b. Follow the same steps as in the two parameter case by:

(1) Giving actual values to  $\omega_n$  and  $\zeta$  to form the certain "constant performance characteristic curve," therefore making  $\alpha_1, \delta_1, \dots$  and  $\alpha_2, \delta_2, \dots$  constant for each " $\zeta, \omega_n$ " pair.

(2) Solving the two equations of the form of (V-2) but with constant coefficients, for the three unknowns A, B,  $\Gamma$ , by applying some restriction on the solution, e.g. by watching a certain plane cut of the A, B,  $\Gamma$  space.

c. Put the partial plots together to reconstruct if possible the whole picture in the A, B,  $\Gamma$  space.



3. This idea of taking cuts on the three parameter space is not new and in fact solutions by quantizing one of the three parameters (which is equivalent to subsequent cuts normal to one of the three parameter axes), have been successfully presented. The only difference is that this character of analysis has a trial and error characteristic which of course is reduced if the physical limitations of one of the variables are more or less narrow.

4. However, by taking enough cuts with planes passing through one of the coordinate axes of the parameter space, one can solve an equivalent number of two dimensional problems which can be displayed on the same reference plane by use of simple descriptive geometry ideas.

5. These ideas can be very easily grasped for the case of a system simpler than the general.

#### C. A SYSTEM WITH LINEAR CHARACTERISTIC EQUATION IN A, B, AND $\Gamma$

1. Consider, now, equations (V-2) for the special case that AB,  $A\Gamma$ ,  $B\Gamma$ ,  $AB\Gamma$  do not exist. In this case:

$$\begin{aligned} A\alpha_1(\zeta, \omega_n) + B\delta_1(\zeta, \omega_n) + \Gamma\epsilon_1(\zeta, \omega_n) &= -\xi_1(\zeta, \omega_n) \\ A\alpha_2(\zeta, \omega_n) + B\delta_2(\zeta, \omega_n) + \Gamma\epsilon_2(\zeta, \omega_n) &= -\xi_2(\zeta, \omega_n) \end{aligned} \quad (V-2a)$$

2. Consider, now, that one wants to trace the "constant  $\omega_n$  loci" for  $\omega_n = \omega_{n1}$  with either  $\zeta = \zeta_1 \div \zeta_n$  or  $\zeta = \zeta_1, \zeta_2, \dots, \zeta_n$  for a continuous or quantized solution (this makes no difference). That is, the following set of equations must be solved, "n" times over the " $\zeta$ " range desired:

$$\left[ \begin{aligned} A\alpha_1(\zeta, \omega_n) + B\beta_1(\zeta, \omega_n) + \Gamma\epsilon_1(\zeta, \omega_n) &= -\xi_1(\zeta, \omega_n) \\ A\alpha_2(\zeta, \omega_n) + B\beta_1(\zeta, \omega_n) + \Gamma\epsilon_1(\zeta, \omega_n) &= -\xi_2(\zeta, \omega_n) \end{aligned} \right] \begin{aligned} \zeta &= \zeta_n \\ \zeta &= \zeta_1 \end{aligned} \quad (V-2b)$$

So one must solve "n" times for the intersections of two planes in the



AB $\Gamma$  space. In other words the constant  $\omega_n = \omega_{n1}$  loci is a set of "n" straight lines, with n going to  $\infty$  if  $\zeta$  is varied continuously in the range  $(\zeta_1 \div \zeta_n)$ .

3. But by letting  $B = 0$ , for any arbitrary  $\zeta = \zeta_{ar}$  from the above range, in both of equations (V-2b) and solving for:

$$A\alpha_1(\zeta_{ar}, \omega_{n1}) + \Gamma\epsilon_1(\zeta_{ar}, \omega_{n1}) = -\xi_1(\zeta_{ar}, \omega_{n1})$$

$$A\alpha_2(\zeta_{ar}, \omega_{n1}) + \Gamma\epsilon_1(\zeta_{ar}, \omega_{n1}) = -\xi_2(\zeta_{ar}, \omega_{n1})$$

one gets a point  $P_1$  in the OA $\Gamma$  plane which belongs also to the desired solutions of V-2b for  $\zeta = \zeta_{arbitrary}$  (see figure 5-4a).

Analogously for  $A = 0$ , one can get a point  $P_2$ , on the OB $\Gamma$  plane, which point will also belong to the desired straight line solution of (V-2b) which after all is completely defined.

4. So this solution can now be projected in the descriptive geometry reference plane (Figure 5-4b), and mapped by its two straight line images. These two images define any point that happens to have a pair of performance characteristics  $\omega_n = \omega_{n1}$  and  $\zeta = \zeta_{arb}$ ,  $[\zeta_{arb} \in (\zeta_1 \div \zeta_n)]$ , for example a point  $P_x$  in figure 5-4b with  $A = 1$ ,  $B = 1$ ,  $\Gamma = 4$  would meet those requirements. Some work on this has been presented by Thaler and Cadena.

5. The fortunate fact to note though, is that one can keep track and interpret the meaning of the two points  $P_1$ ,  $P_2$  as part of a simple infinite solution for  $\omega_n = \omega_{n1}$  and  $\zeta = \zeta_{arb}$ , by simply locating the points  $P_2'$ , and  $P_1''$  on the reference plane, since  $P_2''$  and  $P_1'$  can be located by drawing the normals to O $\Gamma$  for each of them. One should of course indicate which pair of  $\omega_{n1}$  and  $\zeta_{arb}$  was used for this set of points.

6. But now looking back again in the whole process one recognizes



# STRAIGHT LINE IN A "3-DIM" SPACE

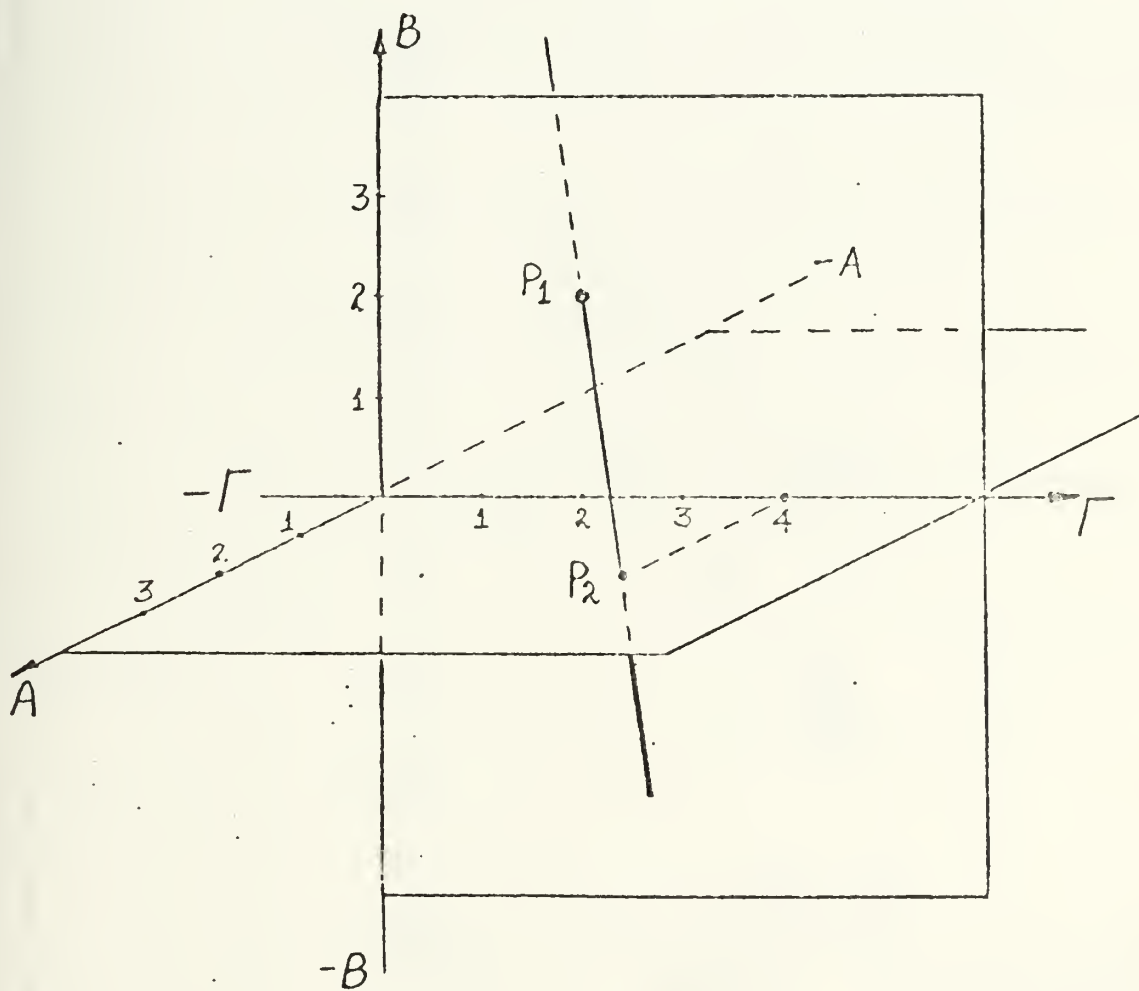


FIGURE 5-4a





# PARAMETER READING FROM LINE PROJECTIONS

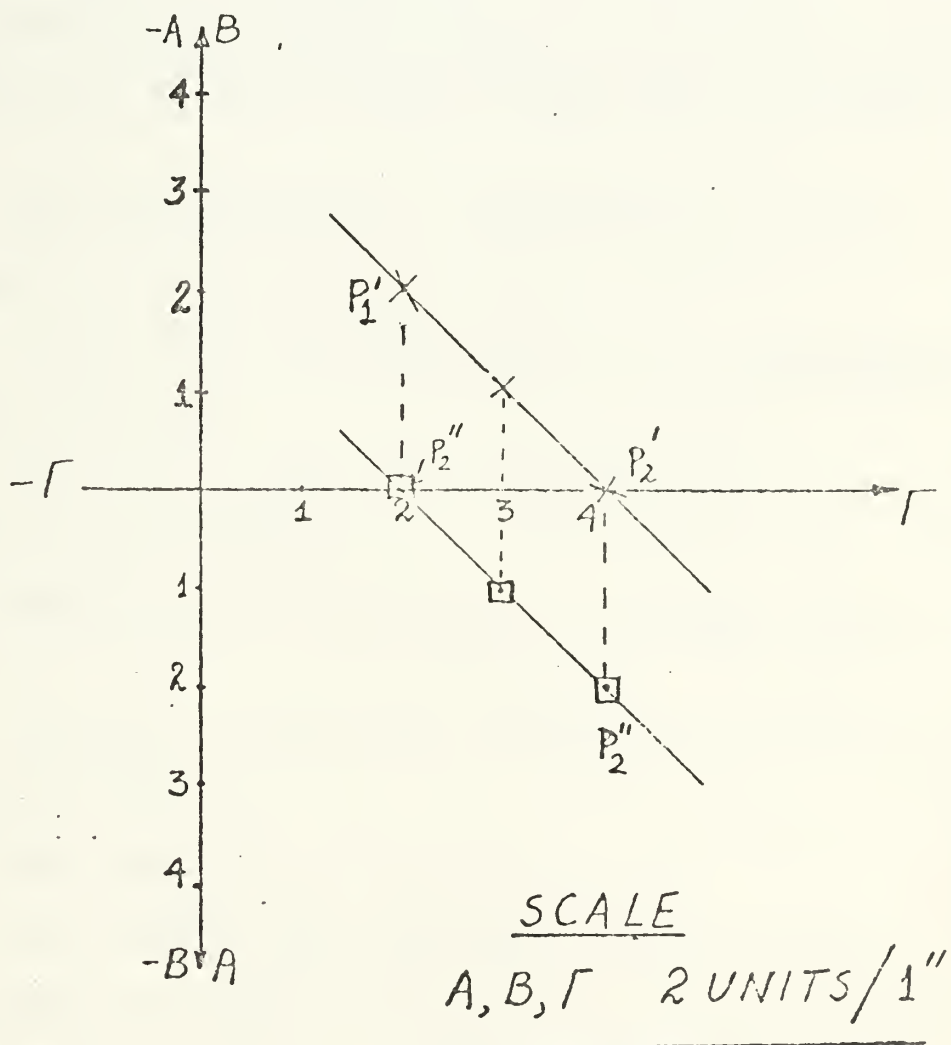


FIGURE 5-4b



that what is necessary to solve this problem is to solve simultaneously for each set of values of  $\omega_n = \omega_{n1}$  and  $\zeta = \zeta_{\text{arbitrary}}$ , a two dimensional, linear parameter plane problem in  $A, \Gamma$  and  $B, \Gamma$  and to locate also simultaneously the two corresponding points on the same planar plot. This process will continue regularly in order to complete two individual planar grids of constant  $\omega_n$  and constant  $\zeta$  curves as shown in Figure 5-5.

7. It is important to plot each of the two grids with different locus indicators, eg for the  $OB\Gamma$  and for the  $OA\Gamma$  projections.

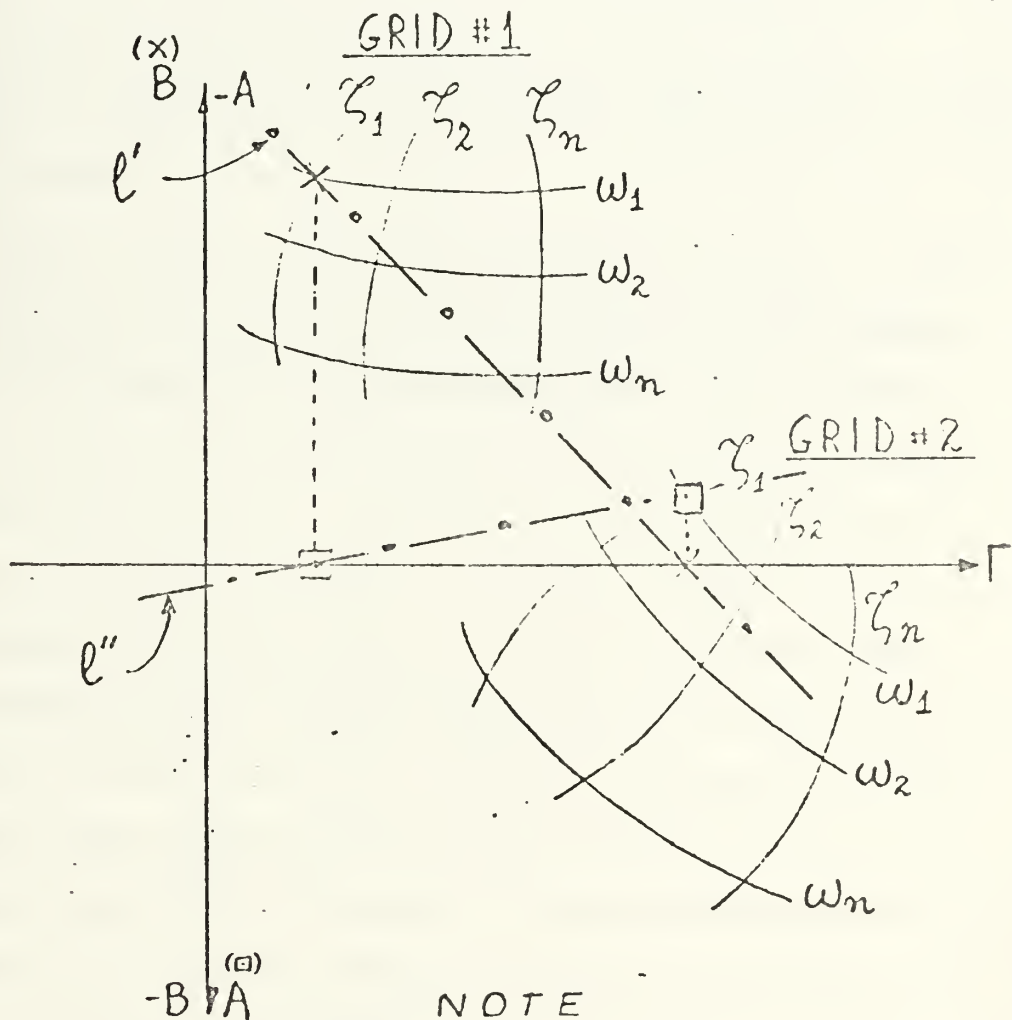
8. If, after the two parameter plane grids are plotted, one wants information about the  $\omega_n = \omega_{n1}$ ,  $\zeta = \zeta_1$ ,  $A, B, \Gamma$  space locus, the procedure is:

- a. First have in mind that the plot obtained lies in the reference plane.
- b. Second, locate the two points for each grid, corresponding to the  $\omega_n = \omega_{n1}$ ,  $\zeta = \zeta_1$  loci.
- c. Draw the two normals on  $O\Gamma$  to locate the associated second projection for each image.
- d. Draw the lines  $\ell'$  and  $\ell''$  which are the images of the desired locus.
- e. In order to read one of the infinite sets of  $A, B, \Gamma$  values that give  $\omega_n = \omega_{n1}$  and  $\zeta = \zeta_1$ :
  - (1) First, select a  $\Gamma$  value, say  $\Gamma = 0g$
  - (2) To get the other two parameter's values, sketch a line normal to  $gO\Gamma$  at the point  $g$ . Then:  $A = ga$ ,  $B = gb$ , the intercepts of the line  $bga$  on the projections  $\ell''$  and  $\ell'$ , respectively.

9. An example of an actual simple linear-characteristic equation system follows.



# SUPERPOSITION OF GRIDS COMPOSED OF CONSTANT "W" AND "ζ" CURVES



GRID #1 came from a BOF projection  
so it contains BETA's at  
ζ, w intersections.

GRID #2 equivalently contains  
ALPHA's at ζ, w intersections.

FIGURE 5-5



#### D. EXAMPLE PROBLEM

1. The closed loop transfer function for the system in figure 5-6 is:

$$\frac{C}{R} = \frac{\Gamma'(s-1)}{(s^2 + 3s + 2) + \Gamma'(s-1)(A's + B')} = \frac{(s-1)}{\Gamma(s^2 + 3s + 2) + (s-1)(A's + B + 1)}$$

where

$$\Gamma = \frac{1}{\Gamma'}, \text{ and } B = B' - 1.$$

2. So the characteristic equation for this system being of the form previously discussed is:

$$A'(s^2 - s) + B(s - 1) + \Gamma(s^2 + 3s + 2) + (s - 1) = 0 \quad (V-3)$$

#### 3. Practical Considerations on Applying Parameter Plane Methods

At this stage it is of importance to notice that a digital computer program for solving and drawing the constant  $\omega_n$  and constant  $\zeta$  loci is absolutely necessary. One could use either a program based on the equations of paragraph E of this section (V), or could use twice a program designed to solve and draw for the case of two variable parameters, and then superimpose the two drawings (one for an  $AO\Gamma$ -plane cut and the other for a  $BO\Gamma$ -plane cut). But even if one uses the two variable parameter plane program, difficulties may arise in selecting the proper range of  $A, B, \Gamma$  (that is the scale of the graph) basically for the desired range of " $\omega$ " and " $\zeta$ ". However, even if one or two curves are drawn, the task then is even simpler.

To get a first rough estimate of the appropriate range<sup>\*2</sup> (under

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<sup>\*2</sup> Refer to the conclusions (section V-G) for comments regarding root loci methods versus parameter space approach, and also note that the solutions by the root loci techniques in subparagraphs "a" and "b" to follow, are just particular arbitrary solutions and are not likely to be the desired solution.





BLOCK DIAGRAM FOR A "3-VAR.  
PARAMETER", DELAY-FREE  
SYSTEM

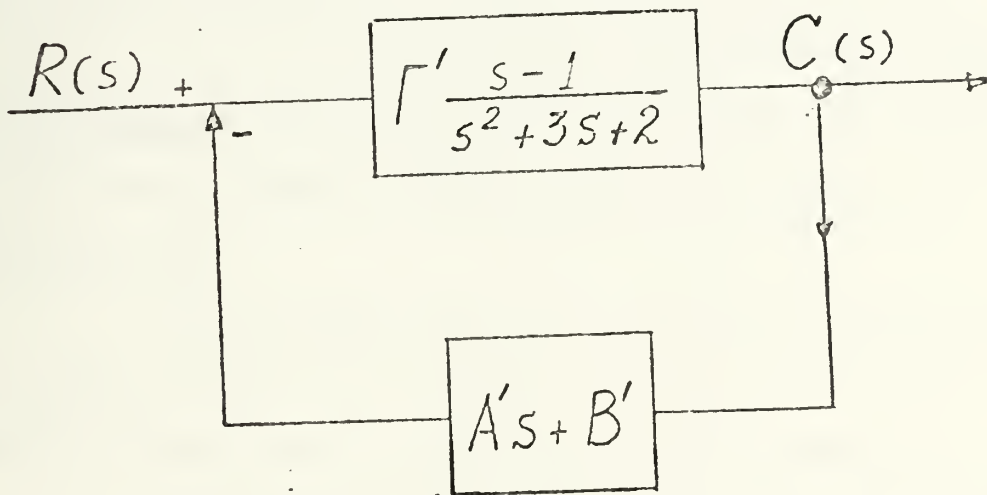


FIGURE 5-6



the assumption that some test runs with the computer program of Appendix D will follow), one can proceed in many ways. Three of them are as follows:

a. The Case of Forward Loop or Feed-Back Compensation with the Forward Gain as One of the Variable Parameters

(1) Draw the open loop root locus with no compensation unit included

(2) Acknowledging the fact that except for the forward gain, the rest of the variable parameters, once fixed, define possible compensation poles and zeros, try to find a combination of these parameters that would change the open loop root locus to be stable for the desired working frequency with a  $\zeta$  approximately equal to 0.707.

(3) As a very quick check on the approximate forward gain range apply the Routh-Hurwitz stability criterion for the closed loop characteristic equation. Sometimes this is not enough and one should draw the root locus.

(4) The rough scale to be used for the first time should be as a rule of thumb<sup>\*3</sup> ten to a hundred times the values of the compensation variables selected and the maximum stable forward gain.

b. Compensation (Forward Loop or Feed-Back) with a Specified Forward Gain

(1) Insert a variable gain parameter in place of the specified forward gain value.

(2) Repeat the procedure for the previous case, but accepting the resulting scale if the specified gain is as a rule of thumb

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<sup>\*3</sup> The rule of thumb proposed, might of course not work for  $\frac{d\zeta}{dk}$  very large or very small, and therefore some change should then be necessary depending of the particular system.



twenty percent less than the maximum stable gain obtained. Otherwise, try a new combination of the compensation variables. The reason of this procedure is to assure an A,B pair which would give under the operating "k", at least one complex pole pair in the region of  $\zeta = (.3 \div .8)$ , because the possibility of not getting a constant  $\zeta$  curve is reduced when this pair is forced in the corresponding s-domain area, for " $\zeta$ " around 0.707.

#### c. The Closed Loop Characteristic Equation Technique

When only the closed loop characteristic equation is given, and one has no idea about the actual system, the following procedure could be followed:

(1) Obtain three Root-Locus Plots, each for one of the three parameters, as the only variable and the remaining two set equal to a convenient constant (say unity).

(2) For a certain range of " $\zeta$ " and " $\omega_n$ " desired, define the corresponding range of each of the variables in each of the root-locus plots. This will give an indication of the scaling of the problem to start with.

One should also have in mind, once engaged with a time delay problem, to set the time decay constant equal to zero, to apply the method discussed above.

#### 4. Practical Considerations on Applying Parameter Methods of Paragraph C

Considering equation (V-3), and having in mind the discussion of paragraph C, one comes to the conclusion that if a BO $\Gamma$  cut of the parameter space is tried for, the particular system of figure 5-6 (i.e. A=0) is physically restricted from having any  $\zeta$ , since the roots of the GH function will all lie on the  $\sigma$  axis in an "s-plane" representation.



So there is a physical limitation in applying the technique, which one can overcome by a change of variable  $A' = A + 1$ , thus maintaining the tachometer feedback of the system for the case of  $A = 0$ . In this case, equation (V-3) becomes:

$$A(s^2 - s) + B(s - 1) + \Gamma(s^2 + 3s + 2) + (s^2 - 1) = 0 \quad (V-4)$$

5. Having in mind all the practical considerations above, one can proceed to specify an approximate set of  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $\Gamma$  range for a first try of the parameter space solution.

a. From figure 5-7 (following the procedure section V-D3), one can see a good value for the compensation zero to be at  $\sigma = 2$ , (or  $\sigma = 3$ , etc.). This can result for  $A' = 2$ ,  $B' = -4$  and equivalently for  $A = 1$ ,  $B = -5$ .

b. Since the Routh Hurwitz criterion is going to give an expression of  $\Gamma'_{\max} < M_{\text{gain}}$ , for  $M_{\text{gain}} > 0$ , it follows that:

$$\Gamma'_{\max} = \left( \frac{1}{\Gamma'_{\max}} \right) > M_{\text{gain}}$$

for stability, and this is not enough. (Root-locus is needed).

c. For  $A = 1$ ,  $B = -5$ , the second order system of equation (V-4), becomes:

$$s^2 + \frac{3(\Gamma-2)s}{\Gamma+2} + 2$$

It follows then that for a  $\zeta = 1/\sqrt{2}$  and  $\omega_n = \sqrt{2}$  a  $\Gamma = 10$  is needed.

d. So as a first try the following ranges should be tried out:

$$(1) \quad |A| \leq 10$$

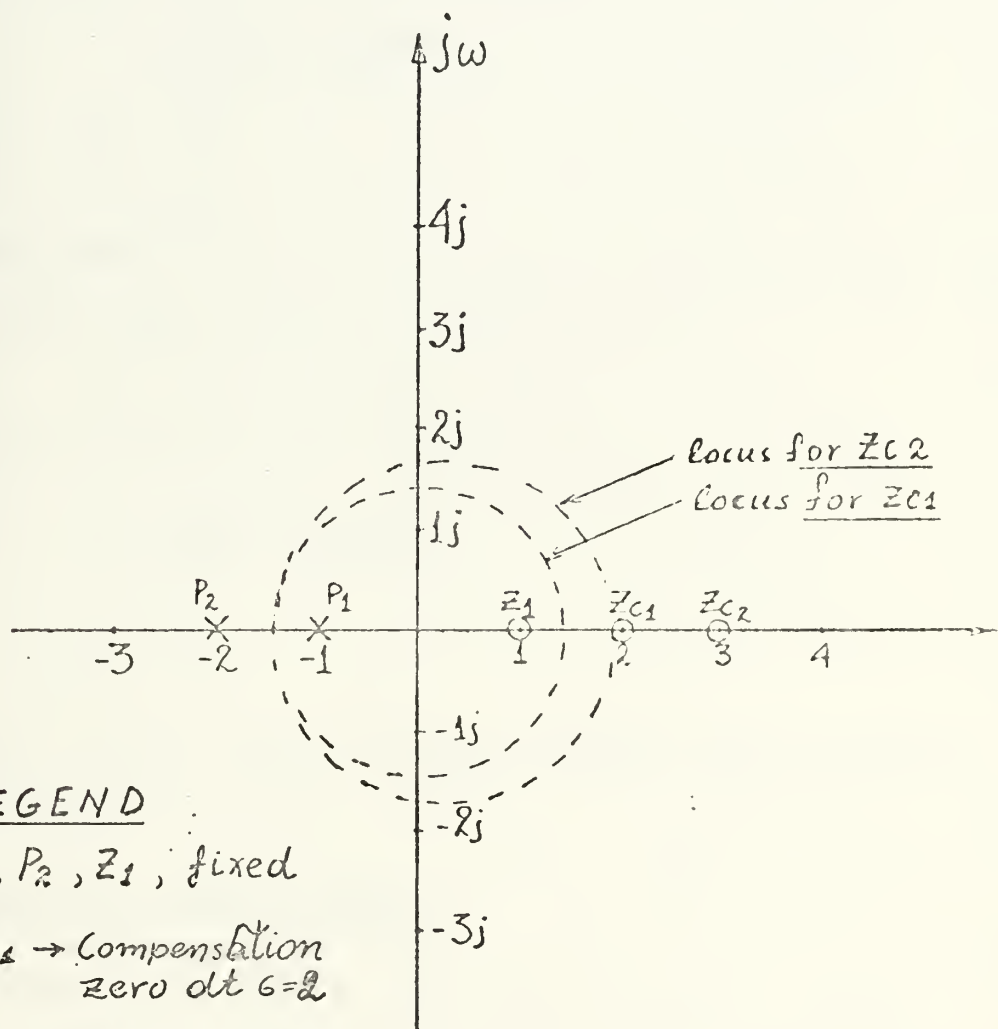
$$(2) \quad |B| \leq 50$$

$$(3) \quad |\Gamma| \leq 20$$





## ROOT-LOCUS SKETCH



### LEGEND

$P_1, P_2, Z_1$ , fixed

$Z_{c1} \rightarrow$  Compensation  
zero at  $\sigma = 2$

$Z_{c2} \rightarrow$  Compensation  
zero at  $\sigma = 3$

FIGURE 5-7



6. In figure 5-8, the results of the parameter space analysis are shown. In order to show that the results are valid, select the parameter space loci for ( $\omega_n = 1.0$ ,  $\zeta = 0.7$ ), represented by its two images (the dash-dotted lines). An arbitrary set of values for this loci is,

$$(A = 8.375, B = 2.32, \Gamma = 12.0),$$

which gives a second order polynomial, (equation V-4):

$$s^2 + \frac{29.625}{21.375}s + \frac{20.680}{21.375} = 0$$

with:  $\omega_n = .985$   
 $\zeta = .706$

For a second demonstration consider the loci for ( $\omega_n = 1.6$ ,  $\zeta = .6$ ). An arbitrary set of values for A, B,  $\Gamma$  on this loci is,

$$(A = -.718, B = -3.5, \Gamma = 3.0),$$

giving a second order polynomial, (equation V-4):

$$s^2 + \frac{6.218}{3.282}s + \frac{8.500}{3.282} = 0$$

with:  $\omega_n = 1.62$   
 $\zeta = .603$

These results turn out to be fairly accurate and the theory presented works in practice.

## E. SOLUTION TO THE GENERAL PROBLEM

1. Consider again equation (V-2). The discussion in section (V-B) indicated the necessity for an infinite number of cuts to be done for the complete parameter plane solution in three dimensions. However, depending on the desired degree of accuracy a finite number of cuts will suffice for practical purposes.

2. The solution for a case with more than two cuts will be demonstrated in section 5.



# GRID SUPERPOSITION

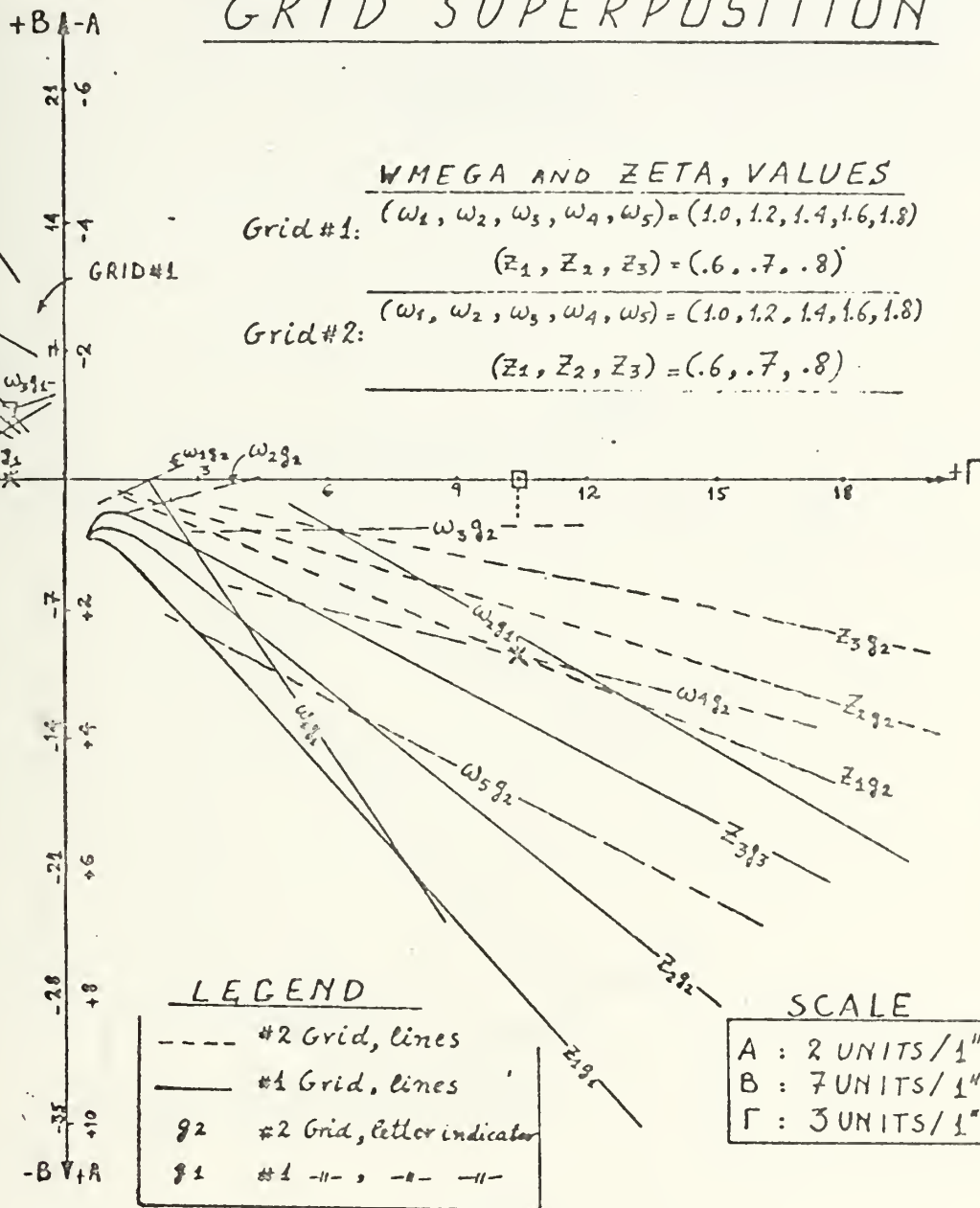


FIGURE 5-8a



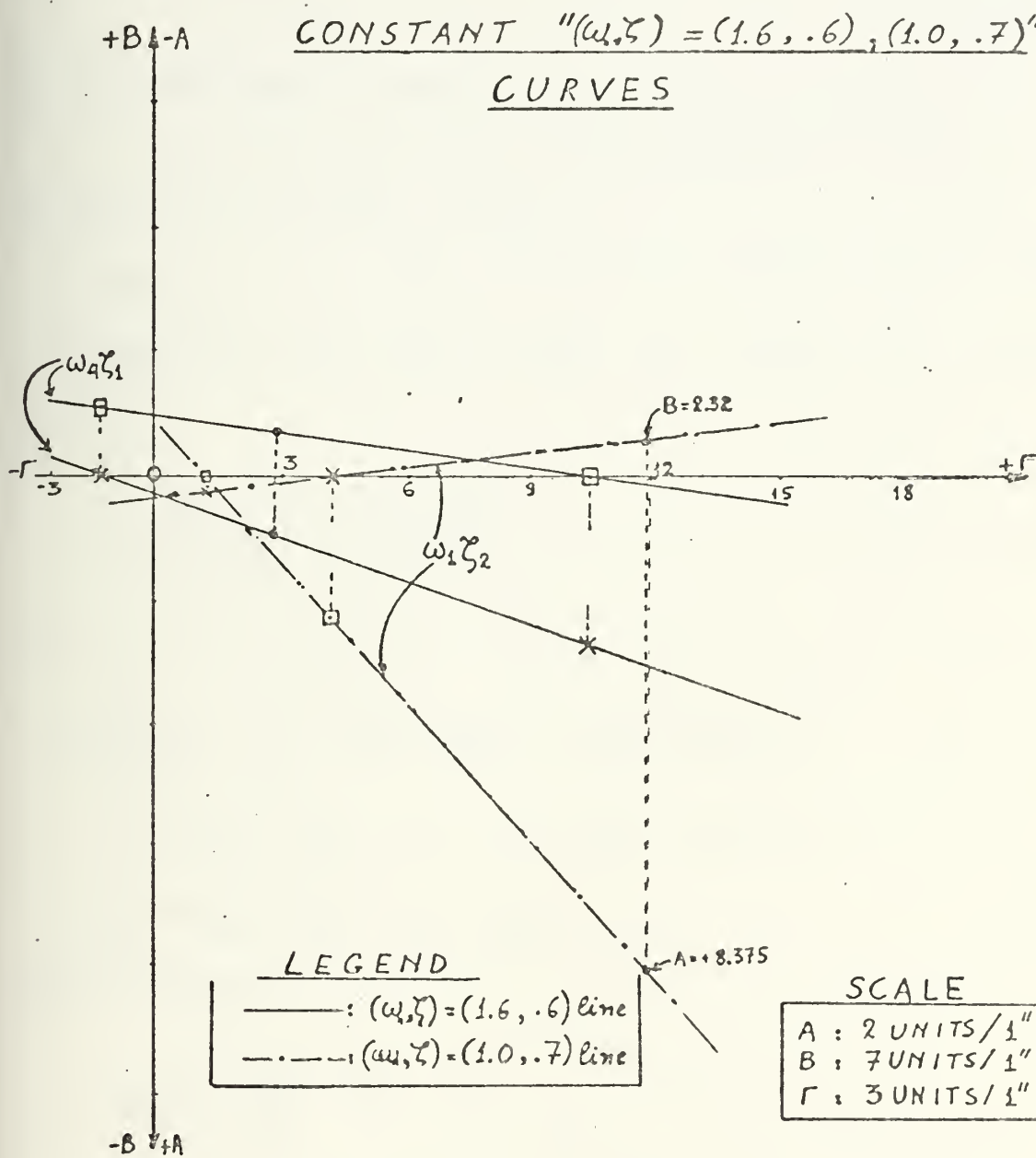


FIGURE 5-8b





3. The equations for the general cut through the  $\Gamma$ -axis will be derived by letting:

$$A = \lambda B \quad (V-5)$$

as the plane of the cut implies.

4. By substituting equation (V-5) into equation (V-1), the following set of two equations results:

$$B(\lambda\alpha_1 + \delta_1) + \Gamma\epsilon_1 + B^2\lambda\phi_1 + B\Gamma(\lambda\eta_1 + \varphi_1) + B^2\Gamma\lambda\mu_1 = -\xi_1 \quad (V-5a)$$

$$B(\lambda\alpha_2 + \delta_2) + \Gamma\epsilon_2 + B^2\lambda\phi_2 + B\Gamma(\lambda\eta_2 + \varphi_2) + B^2\Gamma\lambda\mu_2 = -\xi_2 \quad (V-5b)$$

Therefore:

$$\Gamma = \frac{-\xi_1 - (\lambda\alpha_1 + \delta_1)B - \lambda\phi_1 B^2}{\epsilon_1 + B(\lambda\eta_1 + \varphi_1) + B^2\lambda\mu_1} \quad (V-6a)$$

and:

$$\begin{aligned} & B^4\lambda^2\Delta_{\mu\phi} + B^3 \left[ \lambda^2(\Delta_{\mu\phi} + \Delta_{\eta\phi}) + \lambda(\Delta_{\mu\delta} + \Delta_{\varphi\phi}) \right] + \\ & B^2 \left[ \lambda^2\Delta_{\eta\alpha} + \lambda(\Delta_{\varphi\alpha} + \Delta_{\eta\delta} + \Delta_{\epsilon\phi} + \Delta_{\mu\xi}) + \Delta_{\varphi\delta} \right] + \\ & B \left[ \lambda(\Delta_{\epsilon\alpha} + \Delta_{\eta\xi}) + (\Delta_{\varphi\xi} + \Delta_{\epsilon\delta}) \right] + \Delta_{\epsilon\xi} = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (V-6b)$$

where in general:

$$\Delta_{xy} = \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 \end{vmatrix} = x_1y_2 - y_1x_2$$

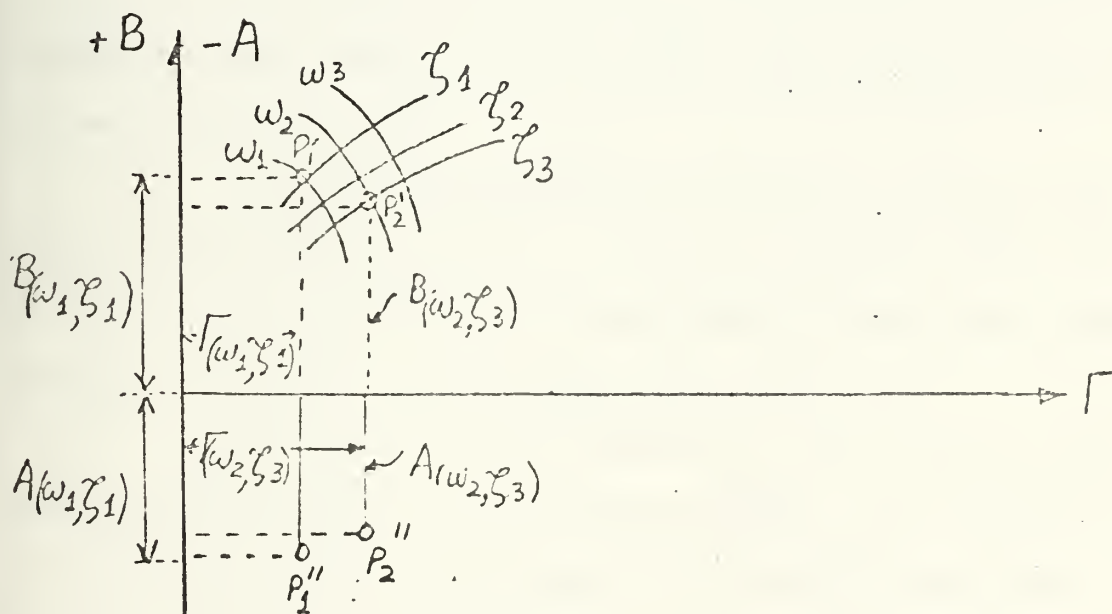
5. So in order to define a certain desired " $\omega_t, \zeta_t$ " point in the  $A, B, \Gamma$  space, one should follow steps as follows:

a. Define the coefficients  $\alpha_1, \beta_1, \dots, \xi_1$  and  $\alpha_2, \beta_2, \dots, \xi_2$ , which become constants for  $\omega = \omega_t, \zeta = \zeta_t$ . It is assumed of course that the time delay in the system is fixed.

b. Solve for  $B$  from the equation (V-6b). A digital computer



CONSTRUCTION OF THE  
 "SECOND PROJECTION"  
 FOR A CERTAIN GRID,  
 BY USE OF THE CUT-INDEX " $\lambda$ "



NOTE

$$A(\omega_1, \zeta_1) = \lambda \cdot B(\omega_1, \zeta_1)$$

$$A(\omega_2, \zeta_3) = \lambda \cdot B(\omega_2, \zeta_3)$$

FIGURE 5-9



routine will be necessary for this purpose. However, the conventional solution of a quartic equation is listed as Appendix E, for easier reference. Care should be taken to exclude any complex roots.

c. Then  $\Gamma$  will be given by using (V-6a), for each admissible B-root.

d. If track of the cut-plane is kept the other projection is not necessary, since  $A = \lambda B$  (V-5), and therefore for each point in the  $B\Gamma$  grid that will be generated by the procedure of subparagraphs 5a 5c, there will correspond another one as shown in figure 5-9.

In figure 5-10a the grids of constant  $\zeta$  and  $\omega_n$  curves obtained for three different cuts are shown. Notice that one projection for each cut is sufficient.

To construct an approximate constant  $\omega_n$ ,  $\zeta_n$  curve one must select the points  $P'_1, P'_2, P'_3$  on the corresponding grids (one from each available grid), and by joining them by straight line segments obtains one of the two required approximate projections.

In figure 10-b this projection is shown, with the construction grid eliminated. The second projection of the constant  $\omega_n$ ,  $\zeta_n$  curve can be approximately defined, by locating the projections  $P''_1, P''_2, P''_3$  from equation (V-5), with  $\lambda = \lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3$ , etc.

#### F. EXAMPLE ON A SIMPLE DESIGN PROBLEM

Consider the hypothetical system of figure 5-11, and suppose that the operational requirements of the system are met if the operating point is  $\omega_\alpha = .4$  rad/sec and  $\zeta_\alpha = .5$ .

Consider also that the cost for building this system was found to be  $C = M \cdot \Gamma$  where  $M$  is a big number and  $T$  is so small that  $e^{-Ts} = 1$  (in order to simplify the algebra). There exists no information about



CURVED " $(\omega_h, \zeta_h) = \text{CONST.}$ " - LINE,  
FROM GRID SUPERPOSITION

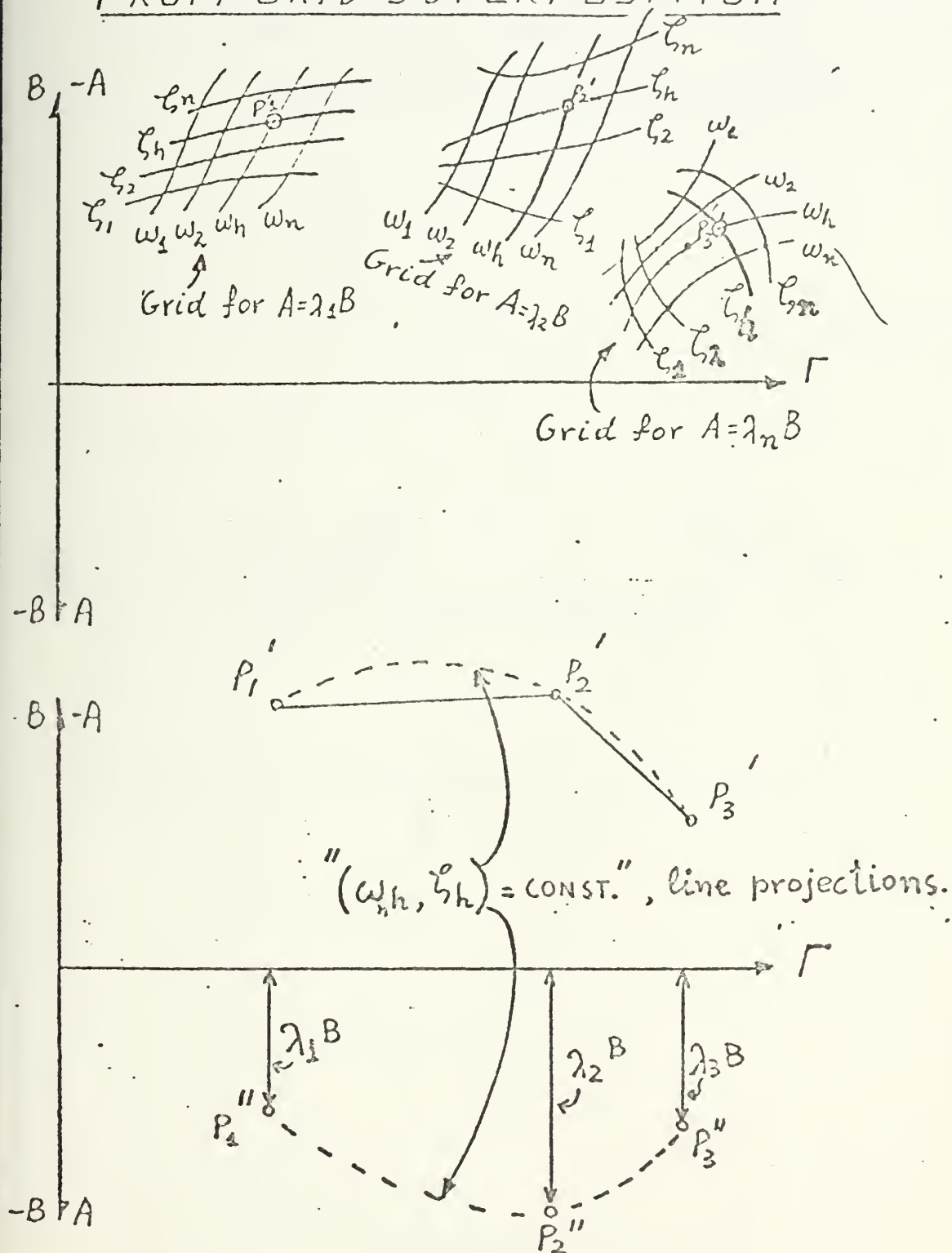


FIGURE 5-10





BLOCK DIAGRAM FOR A SYSTEM  
WITH TIME - DELAY  
(PRODUCTS INCLUDED)

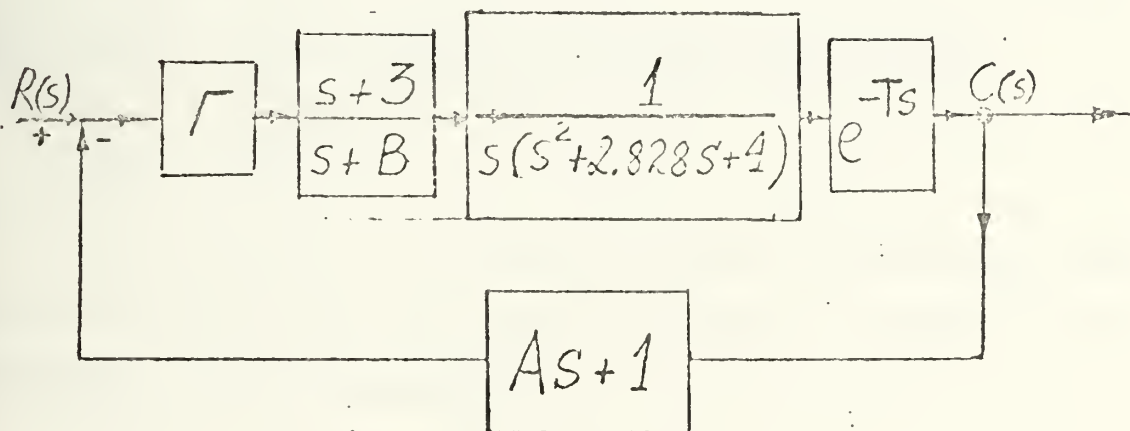


FIGURE 5 -11



the operating cost of the system as a function of A, B,  $\Gamma$ , so this aspect will not be considered, but of course the stability is presupposed.

It is desired to select A, B,  $\Gamma$  that will simultaneously give  $\omega_\alpha$ ,  $\zeta_\alpha$  as specified and minimum possible cost.

It is noted that A physically represents the positive gain of an amplifier, therefore there exists the restriction  $A > 0$ .

### SOLUTION

1. The closed loop gain of the system turns out to be:

$$\frac{C}{R} = \frac{\Gamma(s+3)(As+1)e^{-Ts}}{\left[ s^4 + (2.828+B)s^3 + (4+2.828B)s^2 + 4Bs \right] + e^{-Ts} \left[ A\Gamma(s^2+3s) + \Gamma(s+3) \right]}$$

So the characteristic equation for the general cut-plane  $A = \lambda B$ , and  $T \rightarrow 0$  will become:

$$CE(s) = \left[ s^4 + 2.828s^3 + 4s^2 \right] + B \left[ s^3 + 2.828s^2 + 4s \right] + \Gamma \left[ s+3 \right] + B\Gamma \left[ \lambda s^2 + 3\lambda s \right] = 0.$$

2. At this point one must make a decision on selecting the number of cuts that will suffice the specific application. For this case consider eight cuts, corresponding to:

$$\lambda = 0, \lambda = \pm \frac{1}{2}, \lambda = \pm 1, \lambda = \pm 2, \lambda = \infty$$

In table 5-1 the resulting  $CE(s)$  are tabulated.

3. By applying the method of section VE, the curve for constant ( $\omega_n = .4$  and  $\zeta = .5$ ), was obtained and displayed in figures 5-12a, 5-12b. These figures have been plotted according to the data of table 5-2.

In figure 5-12a the interesting situation for the stable compensation of the system under design is displayed.

4. According to the available information:

- a. Gain Upper Limit:  $\Gamma=0.217$  units (stable operation on specified  $\omega_n, \zeta$ ).



TABLE 5-1

$\lambda$	TYPE OF COEFFICIENT	DECREASING - POWER, TERMS $\longrightarrow$				
		$s^4$	$s^3$	$s^2$	$s^1$	$s^0$
0	CONSTANT	1.0	2.828	4.0	0.0	0.0
	B	0.0	1.0	2.828	4.0	0.0
	$\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	3.0
	B $\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
$\frac{1}{2}$	CONSTANT	} SAME AS FOR $\lambda=0$				
	B					
	$\Gamma$					
	B $\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	0.5	1.5	0.0
$-\frac{1}{2}$	CONSTANT	} SAME AS FOR $\lambda=0$				
	B					
	$\Gamma$					
	B $\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	-0.5	-1.5	0.0
1	CONSTANT	} SAME AS FOR $\lambda=0$				
	B					
	$\Gamma$					
	B $\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	1.0	3.0	0.0
-1	CONSTANT	} SAME AS FOR $\lambda=0$				
	B					
	$\Gamma$					
	B $\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	-1.0	-3.0	0.0
2	CONSTANT	} SAME AS FOR $\lambda=0$				
	B					
	$\Gamma$					
	B $\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	2.0	6.0	0.0
-2	CONSTANT	} SAME AS FOR $\lambda=0$				
	B					
	$\Gamma$					
	B $\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	-2.0	-6.0	0.0
$\infty$	CONSTANT	1.0	2.828	4.0	0.0	0.0
	A	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	$\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	3.0
	A $\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	1.0	3.0	0.0



# CONTINUATION TO TABLE 5-1

	TYPE OF COEFFICIENT	DECREASING - POWER, TERMS $\longrightarrow$				
		$s^4$	$s^3$	$s^2$	$s^1$	$s^0$
$\frac{1}{100}$	CONSTANT	1.0	2.828	4.0	0.0	0.0
	B	0.0	1.0	2.828	4.0	0.0
	$\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	3.0
	B $\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	$\frac{1}{1000}$	$\frac{3}{1000}$	0.0
$\frac{1}{1000}$	CONSTANT	} SAME AS FOR $\lambda = .001$ , (AND $\lambda = 0$ )				
	B					
	$\Gamma$					
	B $\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	$-\frac{1}{1000}$	$-\frac{3}{1000}$	0.0
100	CONSTANT	} SAME AS FOR $\lambda = .001$ , (AND $\lambda = 0$ )				
	B					
	$\Gamma$					
	B $\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	1000	3000	0.0
1000	CONSTANT	} SAME AS FOR $\lambda = .001$ , (AND $\lambda = 0$ )				
	B					
	$\Gamma$					
	B $\Gamma$	0.0	0.0	-1000	-3000	0.0





TABLE 5-2

$\lambda$	$\omega_n$	$\ell_n$	$\Gamma_{(+)}$	$A_{(+)}$	$B_{(+)}$	$\Gamma_{(-)}$	$A_{(-)}$	$B_{(-)}$	REMARKS ON A, B, $\Gamma_{(+)}$	ON A, B, $\Gamma_{(-)}$
$\frac{1}{2}$	.402	.5	.212	.212	.424	-2.287	-17.667	-35.333	STABLE	UNSTABLE SET
$-\frac{1}{2}$	.402	.5	.218	-.257	.514	2.222	-14.587	29.173	UNSTABLE	— " —
1	.402	.5	.210	.391	.391	-1.156	-19.151	-19.151	STABLE	— " —
-1	.402	.5	.223	-.578	.578	1.089	-12.959	12.959	UNSTABLE	— " —
2	.402	.5	.206	.680	.340	-.588	-2.220	-.110	STABLE	— " —
-2	.404	.5	.242	-1.638	.819	.506	-9.120	4.560	UNSTABLE	— " —
$\frac{1}{1000}$	.404	.5	.217	.000467	.467	-1127.8	-759.79	-15979	STABLE	— " —
$-\frac{1}{1000}$	.404	.5	.217	.000476	.476	1127.7	-759.73	15973	UNSTABLE	— " —
1000	.404	.5	.184	2.84	.00284	-7.00133	-2.629.	-2.629	STABLE	— " —
-1000	.404	.5	.00133	2592.	-2.592	.184	2.88	- .00288	UNSTABLE	— " —



b. Gain Lower Limit:  $\Gamma > 0.0$ . Nevertheless it was possible to get a minimum gain of .184 units for the lowest B parameter employed.

c. Compensation Pole:

$$0.00284 < B < 0.47 \text{ in the range } \Gamma = (0.184 \div 0.217)$$

d. Tachometer Feed-Back:

$0.000467 < A < 2.84$  in the same  $\Gamma$  range. So it follows that the system is more sensitive in "B" than in "A" variations (for this specific  $\Gamma$  range).

5. So in order to satisfy the requirement of as small gain as possible, imposed by the specifications and having the information of figure 5-12a, one should choose of course the set:

$$(A, B, \Gamma)_1 = (2.84, .00284, .184).$$

But if it was possible to pay 9 percent more<sup>\*4</sup> the solution

$$(A, B, \Gamma)_2 = (.115, .25, .20)$$

is much more advantageous and takes care of possible component drift.

6. By substituting the set  $(A, B, \Gamma) = (.115, .25, \Gamma)$  in  $CE(s)$ , (for  $T=0$ ), one gets:

$$CE(s) = [s^4 + 3.078s^3 + 4.707s^2 + 1.00s] + \Gamma[1.15s^2 + 4.445s + 3] = 0.$$

the root-locus plot of which gives  $(\eta_n, \zeta)_{\text{dominant}} = (.3986, .477)$  for  $\Gamma = .2$ , which is very close to the desired specifications (see figure 5-12c).

7. It is of interest to note what the constant  $\sigma = 0$  and  $\zeta = 0$  surfaces look like.

a. From  $CE(\sigma)$  for  $s = (\sigma \equiv 0)$  the  $\sigma = 0$  surface is the  $\Gamma = 0$  plane.

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\*4 Since the cost function is  $C = M\bar{\Gamma}$  it follows that  $\frac{\Delta c}{c_1} = \frac{\Gamma_2 - \Gamma_1}{\Gamma_1} = .087$



CONSTANT  $\omega_n, \zeta (= .4, .5)$

CURVE

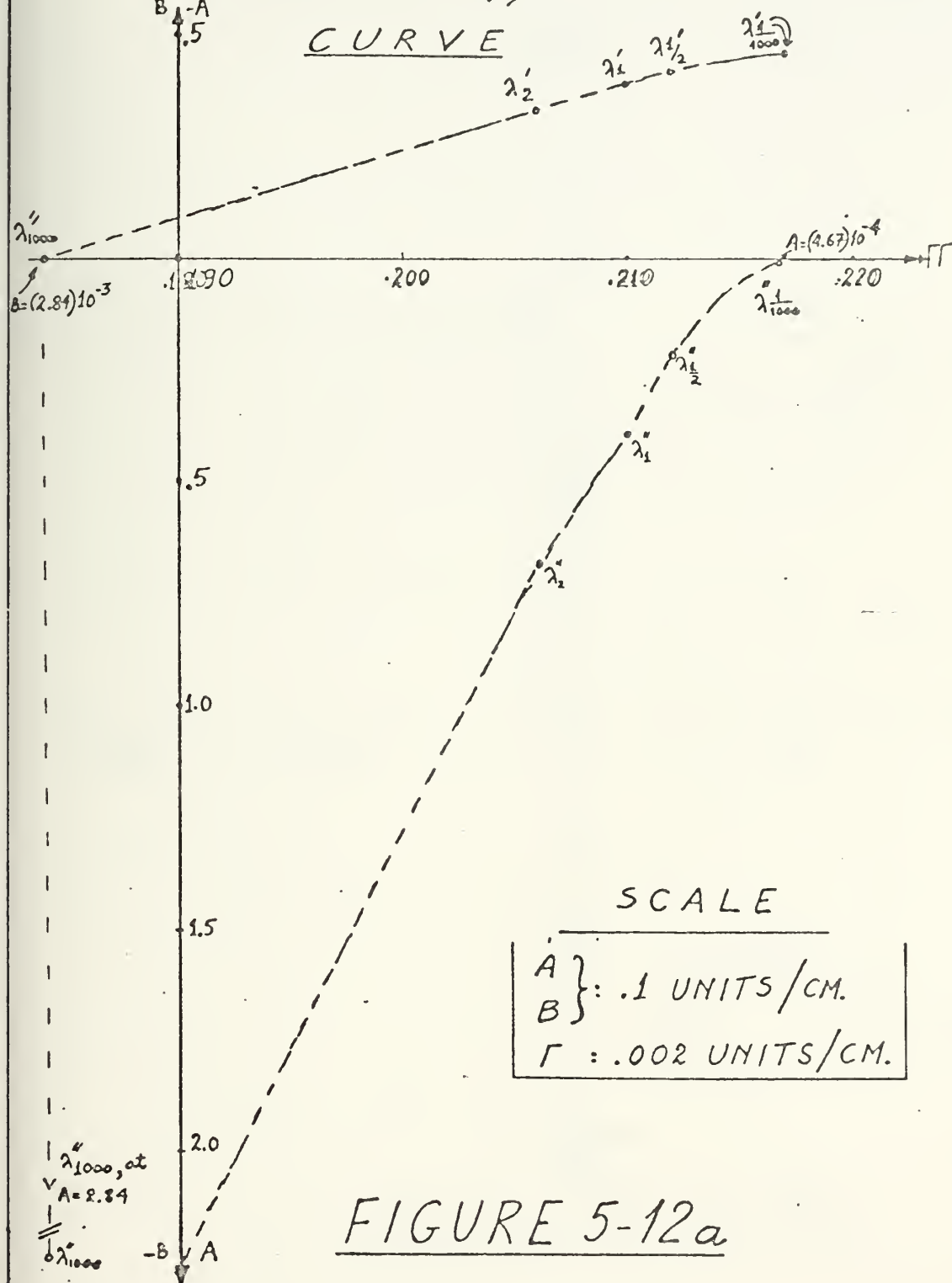


FIGURE 5-12a



CONSTANT,  $(\omega_n, \zeta) = (.4, .5)$ , CURVE

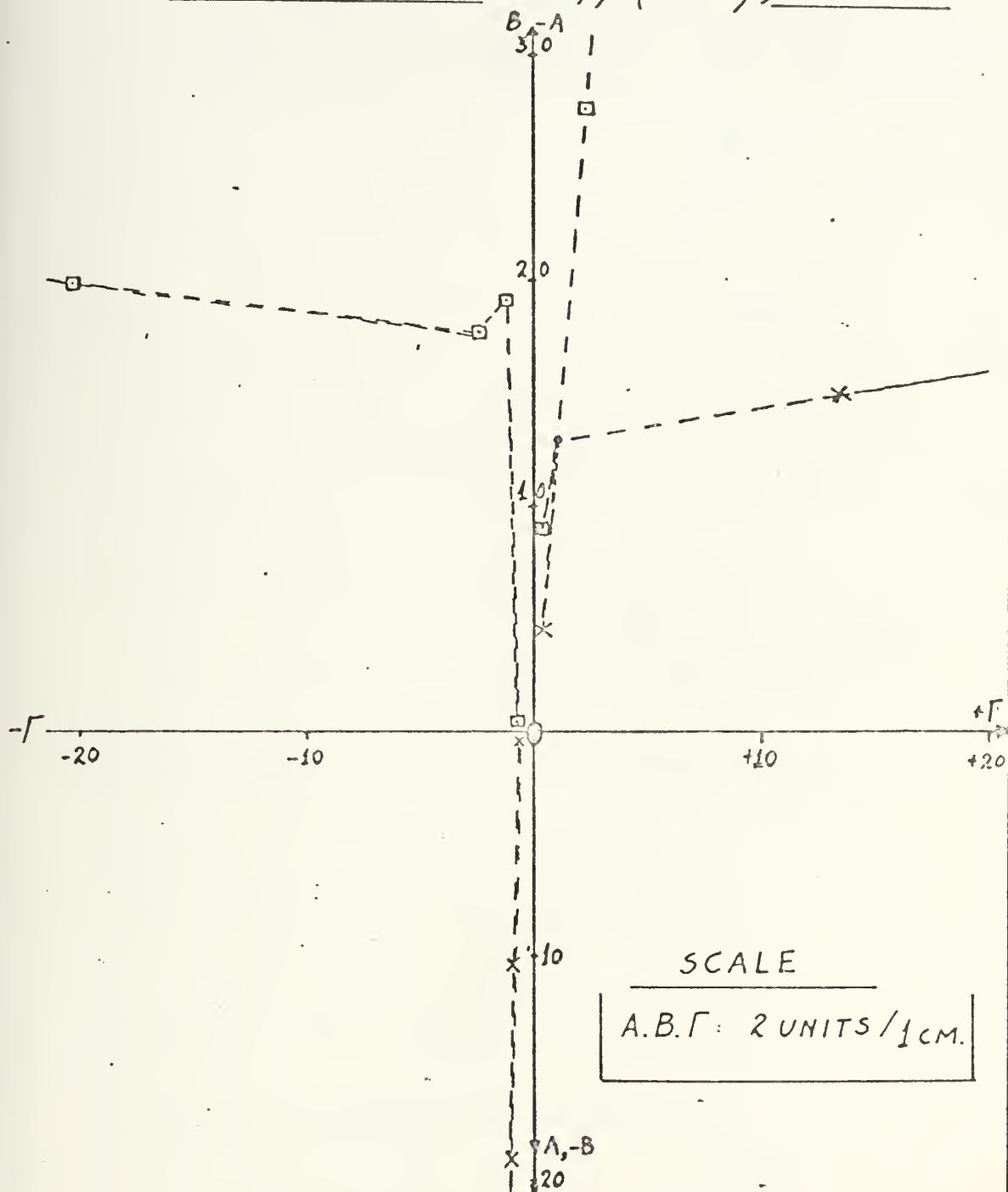


FIGURE 5-12b





ROOT LOCATIONS  
FOR  $(A.B.\Gamma) = (.115, .25, .20)$

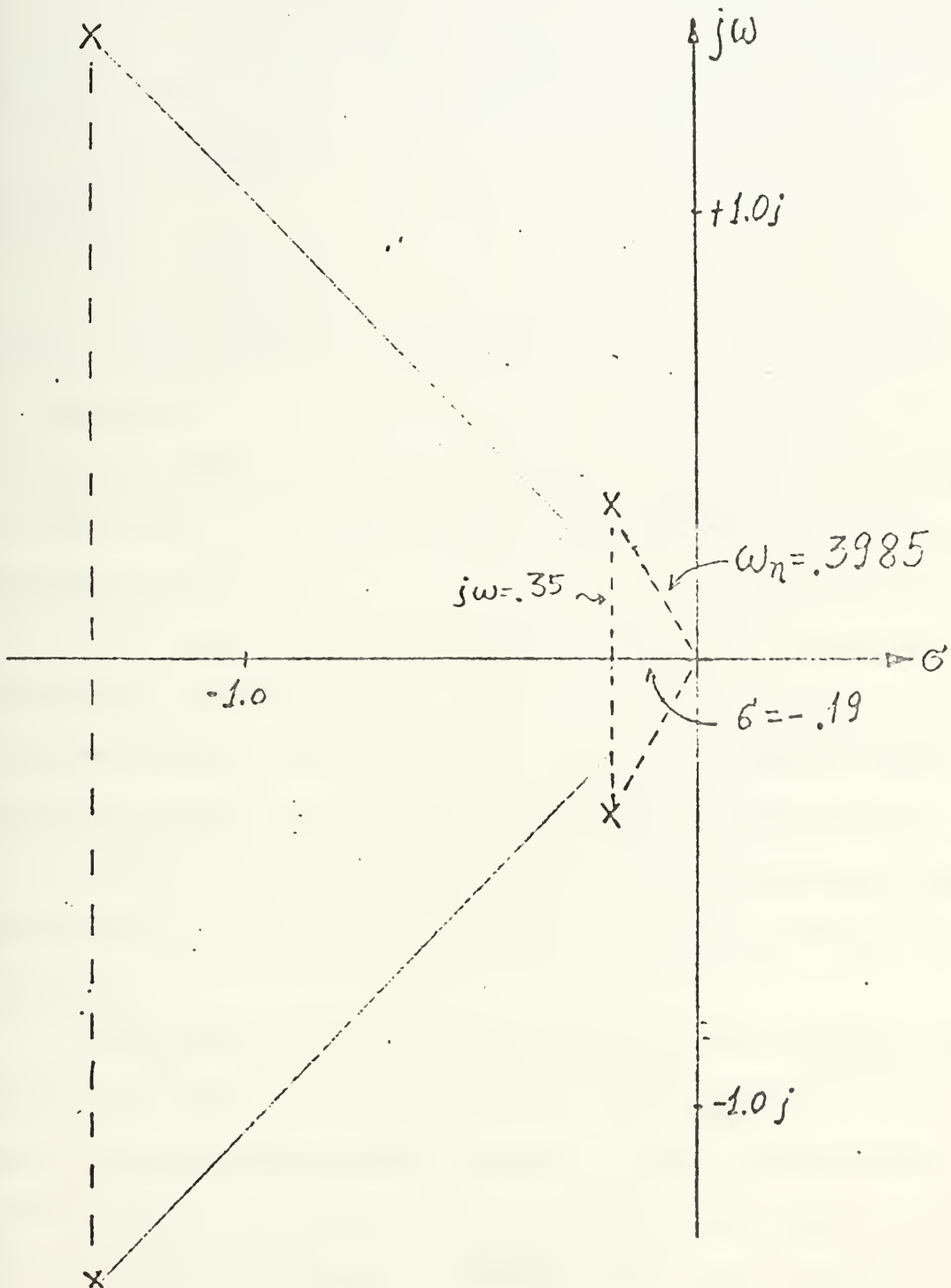


FIGURE 5-12c



b. From  $CE(j\omega)$  for the  $s = j\omega$  surface one gets the following set of equations.

$$\omega^4 - (4 + 2.828B)\omega^2 - A\Gamma\omega^2 + 3\Gamma = 0$$

$$-(2.828 + B)\omega^3 + 4B\omega + 3A\Gamma\omega = 0$$

c. By simultaneously solving the  $\sigma = 0$  and  $\zeta = 0$  equations the equation for the cut of those two surfaces is:

$$B^2 + 2.828B + 4 = 0$$

which gives:

$$B = -\sqrt{2} \pm j\sqrt{2}$$

Therefore there exists no intersection of the  $\sigma = 0$ ,  $\zeta = 0$  surfaces.

## G. CONCLUSIONS

From the theory presented in this section theoretically and shown to actually work for the simple system of figure 5-11, the following conclusions can be obtained:

1. It is possible to construct the constant " $\omega$ - $\zeta$ " curves for a three variable parameter system. Care must be taken in order not to exceed the physical limitations of the system, e.g. taking cuts that would perhaps destroy the feed-back or forward gain of the system.

2. In the case where the variable parameters show in a nonlinear fashion in the system, the constant " $\omega$ - $\zeta$ " curves have no straight line projections.

3. Care should be taken to differentiate between different segments of the solution. It is of importance to define which of them provide stable and which unstable operation. Until a well grounded stability theorem is developed in the three dimensional space, this task which was easy for the system of section (V-F) might prove impossible



for a complicated situation. In this case the method of this section will be handicapped.

4. Another thing to notice, is that for the nonlinear case,  $(A, B, \Gamma$  products), it is possible to come up with a curve which is more or less normal to the  $\Gamma$ -axis. If this happens it is not easy to read the appropriate  $A, B, \Gamma$  sets in one hand, but sensitivity on the  $\Gamma$  parameter is proved. So if one wants to operate under the conditions imposed by the curve, one must set  $\Gamma = \Gamma_0$  and then possibly one can reduce the problem to a two dimensional one.

5. Sensitivity analysis of a system is possible for a multivariable control--system, by applying methods described in this section. This is in contrast to the approach of using a family of root loci where the method of sensitivity analysis is not so direct.

6. Another great advantage of the parameter space approach over the root loci method is that system optimization through adjustment of parameters is more direct, and illustrative.

7. Of course in order to arrive at the desired result a vast amount of analysis was necessary, and it is a disadvantage which of course is removed when a computer program similar to the one in Appendix D is available. So indeed, the method is "digital-computer" oriented.



## VI. AN ACTUAL ENGINEERING APPLICATION

### A. GENERAL

1. In this section the roll angle control system for a vertical take-off aircraft is studied.

2. In a post-design analysis of this system, (which was initially designed by the root-locus methods and thereafter operated successfully), attempts to locate the actual operating point inside the two variable parameter stability region were originally unsuccessful. This implied that the stability criterion of chapter IV was invalid, and since the derivations of the stability criterion was rigorous, further study of the particular case is needed.

3. In the subsections to follow, the system is first considered from an elementary aspect and since it needs compensation, its possible modes are defined.

Then a parameter plane design follows and having in mind the results of the stability analysis, an appropriate operating point is selected. Time domain simulations follow at last to insure the correctness of the parameter plane results.

### B. THE SYSTEM

#### 1. Brief Physical Description

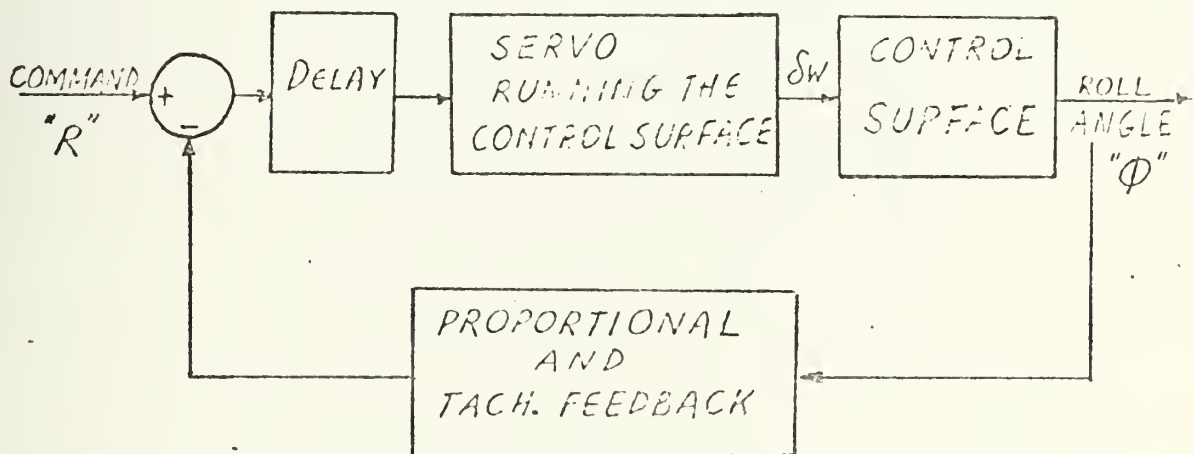
a. The system is presented in block diagram form in figure 6-1.

In the component analysis of this figure one can observe seven variable parameters. But since the servo constants have been pre-set to their values of table 6-1, the only variable parameters remaining are  $K_p$ ,  $K_\phi$ , and  $T$  (which is bounded within limits).





BLOCK DIAGRAM FOR THE  
ROLL-ANGLE CONTROL SYSTEM  
OF A VERTICAL TAKE OFF A/C.



COMPONENT ANALYSIS

DELAY =  $e^{-Ts}$

SERVO =  $K/Ds^2 + Es + F$

C. SURFACE TRANSFER FUNCTION:

$$\frac{\Phi}{\delta W} = \frac{(.305)[s^2 + 2(.318)(.598)s + (.698)^2]}{(s - .0434)(s + 1.464)[s^2 + 2(.243)(.864)s + (.864)^2]}$$

FEED-BACK =  $(K_p \cdot s + K_\phi)$

FIGURE 6-1



TABLE 6-1

VALUES OF CONSTANTS USED IN THE SYSTEM OF FIGURE 6-1

CONSTANT	VALUE
T	$.15 \div .30$
K	$1/8.1 = .1235$
D	$.488 \times 10^{-3}$
E	$.4719 \times 10^{-1}$
F	2.329



b. Since the permissible range of variation on T is small, it is reasonable to start with the minimum expected value of T, (0.15), since the results of section IV show that this should give the maximum stability region in the A,B plane.

## 2. Objectives

a. To actually define appropriate  $K_p$ ,  $K_\phi$  values for stable operation. In doing so one should have in mind that zetas around 0.7 and frequencies from 1 to 3 rad/sec are desirable from a "pilot-performance" point of view.\*5

b. To check and find if the operating values of  $K_p$ ,  $K_\phi$  lie in the parameter plane stability region in order to check on the discrepancy reported (section VI A). These values are:

$$(K_p, K_\phi) = (95, 190)$$

## 3. Systems Transfer Characteristic

$$\frac{\phi}{R}(s) = \frac{(.305) \frac{K}{D} e^{-Ts} [s^2 + .444s + .488]}{F(s) + e^{-Ts} [A \cdot P_A(s) + B \cdot P_B(s)]} \quad (VI-1)$$

where:

$$A \cdot P_A(s) = A [s^3 + .444s^2 + .488s + 0.0]$$

$$B \cdot P_B(s) = B [0 \cdot s^3 + s^2 + .444s + .488]$$

and:

$$A = \frac{(.305)K}{D} K_p = 77.2 K_p \Rightarrow \text{Tachometer}$$

$$B = \frac{(.305)K}{D} K_\phi = 77.2 K_\phi \Rightarrow \text{Proportional Control}$$

$$F(s) = s^6 + 98.4696s^5 + 4941.1680s^4 + 8978.082s^3 + 5086.9961s^2 + 3162.6011s - 147.59$$

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\*5 These were established by the original system designer.



4. The Systems Characteristic Equation is:

$$\begin{aligned}
 CE(s) = & \left[ s^6 + 98.4696s^5 + 4941.1680s^4 + 8978.082s^3 + \right. \\
 & \left. 5086.9961s^2 + 3162.6011s - 147.59 \right] + \\
 & e^{-Ts} A \left[ s^3 + .444s^2 + .488s + 0.0 \right] + \\
 & e^{-Ts} B \left[ 0.5s^3 + s^2 + .444s + .488 \right] \\
 = & 0
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{VI-3}$$

### C. POSSIBLE COMPENSATION MODES

1. By looking closer to the feed-back component of the figure 6-1 system, we can see in general that its effect on the open loop transfer function is the insertion of a compensation zero " $z_c$ ", and by controlling the values of the variable parameters  $K_p$  and  $K_\phi$  one can cause various compensation modes.

2. Noting also the results of section II, where it was observed that though the shape of a root-locus was symmetrically deformed towards the  $j\omega$ -axis, its basic form remained unchanged with varying delay, one can search for the modes mentioned above using the delay-free version of figure 6-1 without loss of generality.

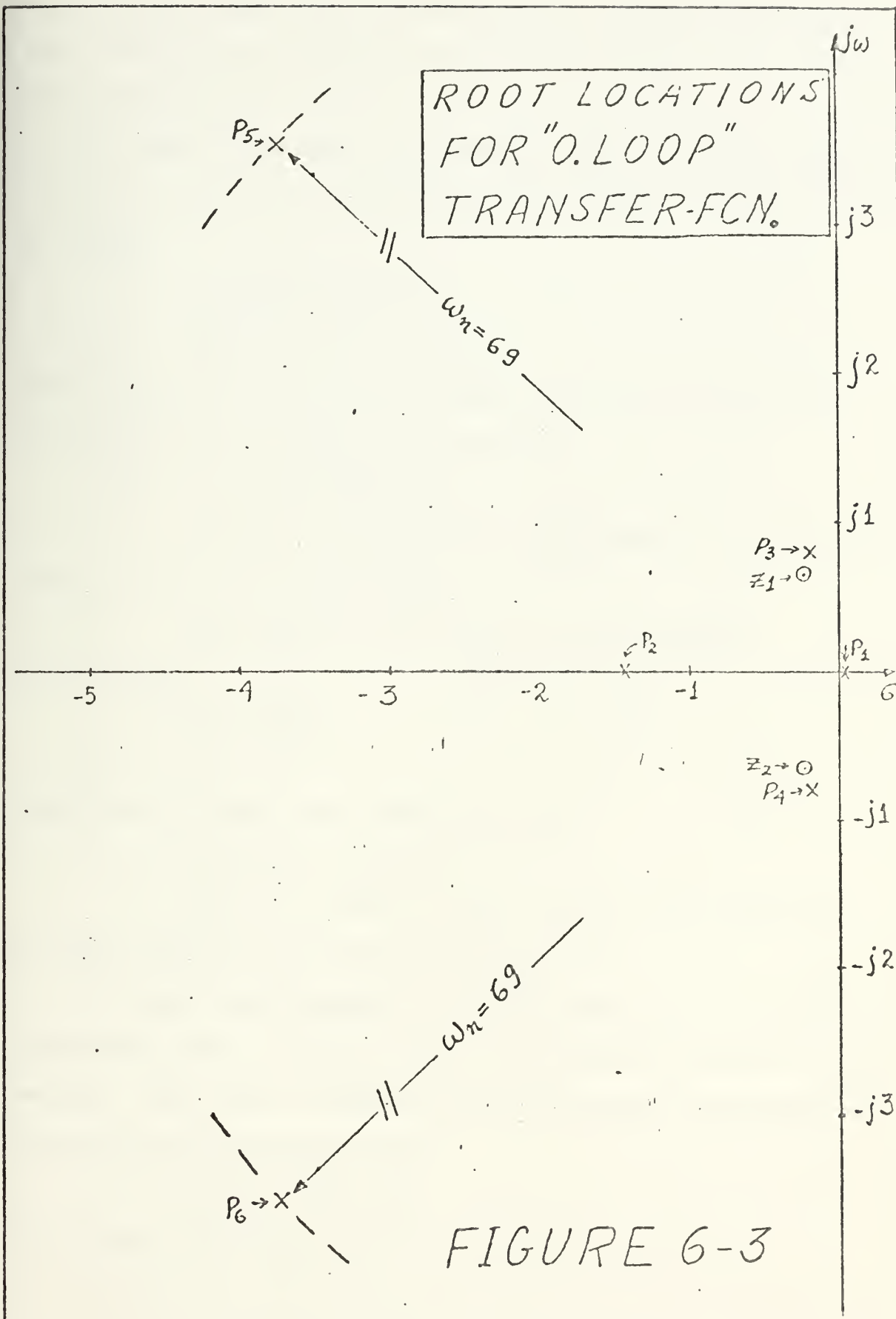
3. In figure 6-3 the open-loop root locations of the system are shown, with compensation  $z_c$  not included.

So with no compensation the pole  $P_1$  will produce instability in the desired operating range.

Note also: first, that poles  $P_5$  and  $P_6$  located at a natural frequency contour of 69 rads/sec with a  $\zeta = .7$ , are too far away to be considered at the desired frequency range and second, that zeroes  $z_1, z_2$  restrict root-travel branches leaving poles  $P_3, P_4$ , to remain in a very limited range in the s-plane, so that they force the continuous presence of a complex root pair with a set of  $(\zeta, \omega_n) = (.43, .7)$  on the average. Theoretical cancellation would of course happen for infinite









gain, but since these four roots are very close together in pole-zero pairs, the influence of  $(P_3, P_4)$  in the systems transient characteristic will be much reduced.

4. Now the real zero " $z_c$ " introduced by the feed-back, can generally take three possible relative locations with respect to the  $P_1, P_2$  pair, as follows:

a.  $z_c$  to the Left of  $P_2$ .

This will cause a closed form of the root locus and for a proper gain will provide a pair of complex roots in the L.H.P. solely. In this case, both  $K_p$  and  $K_\phi$  must be positive.

b.  $z_c$  to the Right of  $P_1$ .

In this case one of the two feed-back gains must be negative. So if in the feed-back expression

$K_p s + K_\phi$ ,  $K_p$  is factored out of the parentheses

one will have:

$$K_p \left( s + \frac{K_\phi}{K_p} \right)$$

which implies a negative gain locus, for  $K_p < 0$ .

c.  $z_c$  Between  $P_2$  and  $P_1$ .

This will result to a real root pair, one of which will be in the right half plane, for "low-enough" gain.

5. After this discussion, it is obvious that two are the possible compensation modes, one with the " $z_c$ " in the L.H.P. and one with " $z_c$ " in the R.H.P. Note that the operating point of the system was regulated for a Left Half Plane compensation with:

$$(K_p, K_\phi) = (95, 190)$$

giving a zero at  $z_c = -2$ .



# ROOT LOCUS FOR $(K_p, K_\phi) = (95, 190)$

## LEGEND

- : ROOT LOCUS
- , x : ROOT LOCATIONS  
FOR  $G=0$
- ⊠ :  $P_1, P_2$  FOR  $G=7320$

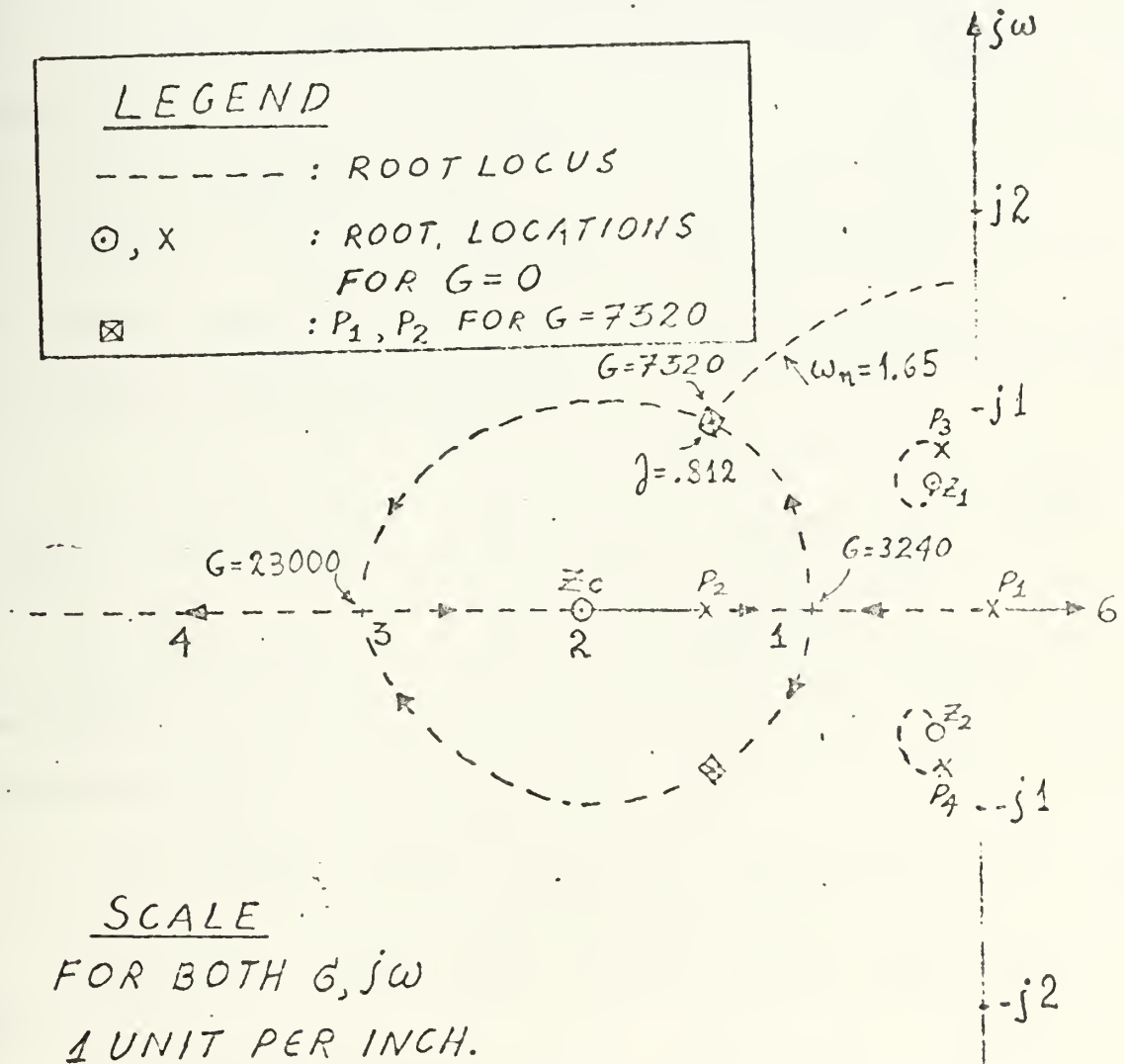


FIGURE 6-4a



6. In figure 6-4a, the root locus of the system is plotted for this selection of  $(K_p, K_\phi)$ . This was done as usual by equating the open-loop transfer function to minus one, and thus getting:

$$\left[ s^6 + 98.5s^5 + 5056.3s^4 + 8966.60s^3 + 6164.65s^2 + 4905.43s - 225.3 \right] + G \left[ s^3 + 2.443s^2 + 1.371s + .973 \right] = 0$$

where G was the variable gain parameter:

$$G = \left[ - \frac{(.305) \times K_p \times K}{D} \right]_{(K_p=95)} = 59400 K,$$

and since the working K of the system was selected to be .1235, one gets the operating point to be as follows:

G	K	$K_p$	$K_\phi$	A	B	$\zeta$	$\omega_n$ rad/sec
7320	.1235	95	190	7340	14680	.812	1.65

7. To illustrate by the root-locus technique that compensation is possible for  $z_c$  in the Right-Half Plane, one can select  $(K_p, K_\phi) = (-95, 95)$  and get from the open loop transfer function:

$$\left[ s^6 + 98.5s^5 + 5056.3s^4 + 8966.60s^3 + 6164.65s^2 + 4905.43s - 225.3 \right] + G' \left[ s^3 - .557s^2 + .044s + .487 \right] = 0$$

where:

$$G' = \left[ \frac{(.305) \times K_p \times K}{D} \right]_{(K_p = -95)} = -59400 K$$

So for positive K, as in this case a negative gain locus is resulting and is displayed in figure 6-4b. In this case,  $K_{\max}$  for stability, is equal to .0965 (equivalent for  $G' = -5722$ ), which is a restriction for the designer. Notice also that for " $\zeta$ " in the area of .707 or greater,





# ROOT LOCUS

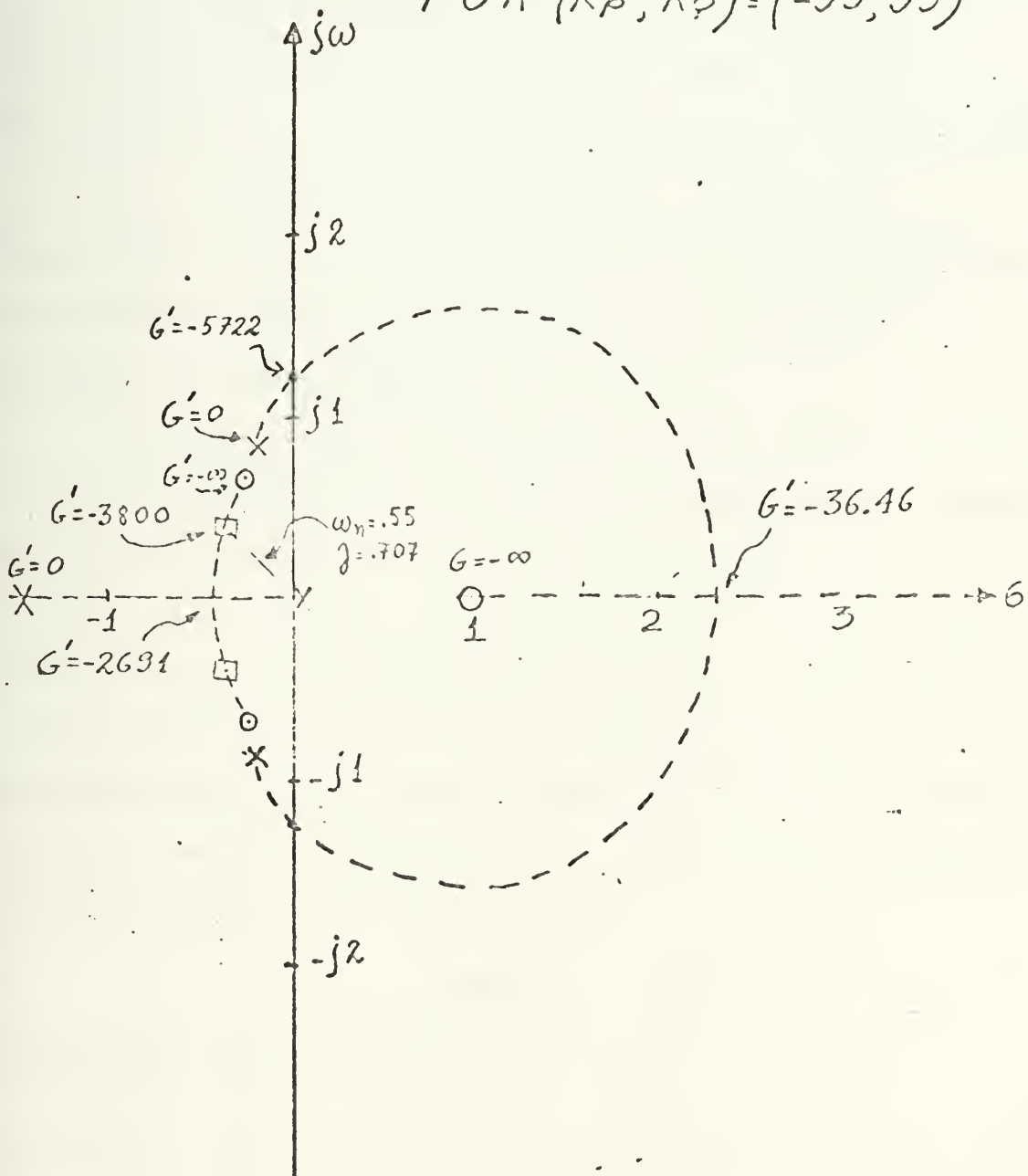
$$FOR (K_P, K_\phi) = (-95, 95)$$


FIGURE 6-4b



the natural frequency will be less than .55rad/sec.

8. With this information about the system, its preliminary investigation is concluded and the parameter plane design follows.

#### D. DESIGN IN THE PARAMETER PLANE

1. By using the computer program of Appendix D, and the selected sets of constant " $\zeta$ " and constant " $\omega_n$ " curves shown in table 6-2, three sets of parameter plane grids were plotted for values of the time delay:

$$(T_1, T_2, T_3) = (.15, .2, .3)$$

These results have been plotted in figures 6-5a, 6-5b, and 6-5c. Quasi-linear versions of the maximum root regions found in chapter IV have been superimposed for easier reference.

2. Having in mind the general range of  $(\zeta, \omega_n)$  desired, (section VIB), and the particular  $(\zeta, \omega_n) = (.812, 1.65)$  that resulted to be the ones preferably selected by the designers of the system, one can plot the variation of the  $(\omega_n = 1.6 \text{ and } \zeta = .8)$ , constant  $(\omega_n, \zeta)$  curve for varying time delay. This plot and its expanded scale version both resulting from data of table 6-3 are shown in figures 6-6 and 6-6a. Notice the approximately linear relation in these plots, especially within the operating time-delay constants  $T \in [.15, .3]$  where  $\Delta T$  and displacement in the A,B plane remain in a constant ratio.

TABLE 6-2

Constant " $\zeta$ " Curve Values	$\zeta_1 = .6$	$\zeta_2 = .65$	$\zeta_3 = .7$	$\zeta_4 = .8$	$\zeta_5 = .85$
Constant " $\omega$ " Curve Values	$\omega_1 = .3$	$\omega_2 = .688$	$\omega_3 = 1.0$	$\omega_4 = 1.3$	$\omega_5 = 1.6$

This fact can help in predicting appropriate A,B values for operation with a "time-delay constant" different than  $(T_1, T_2, T_3) = (.15, .2, .3)$ .



# PARAMETER PLANE CURVES FOR T.D.C=.15

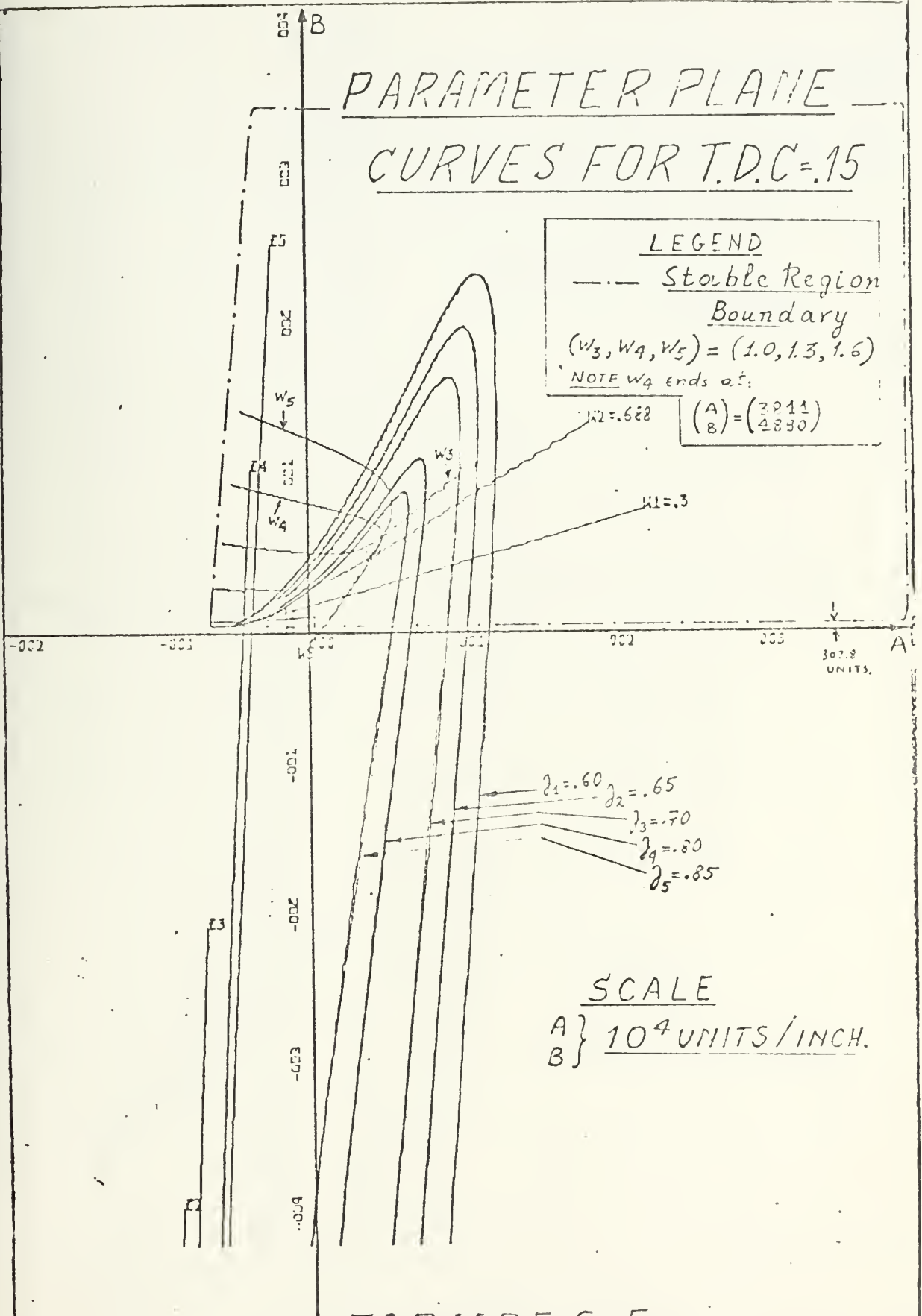
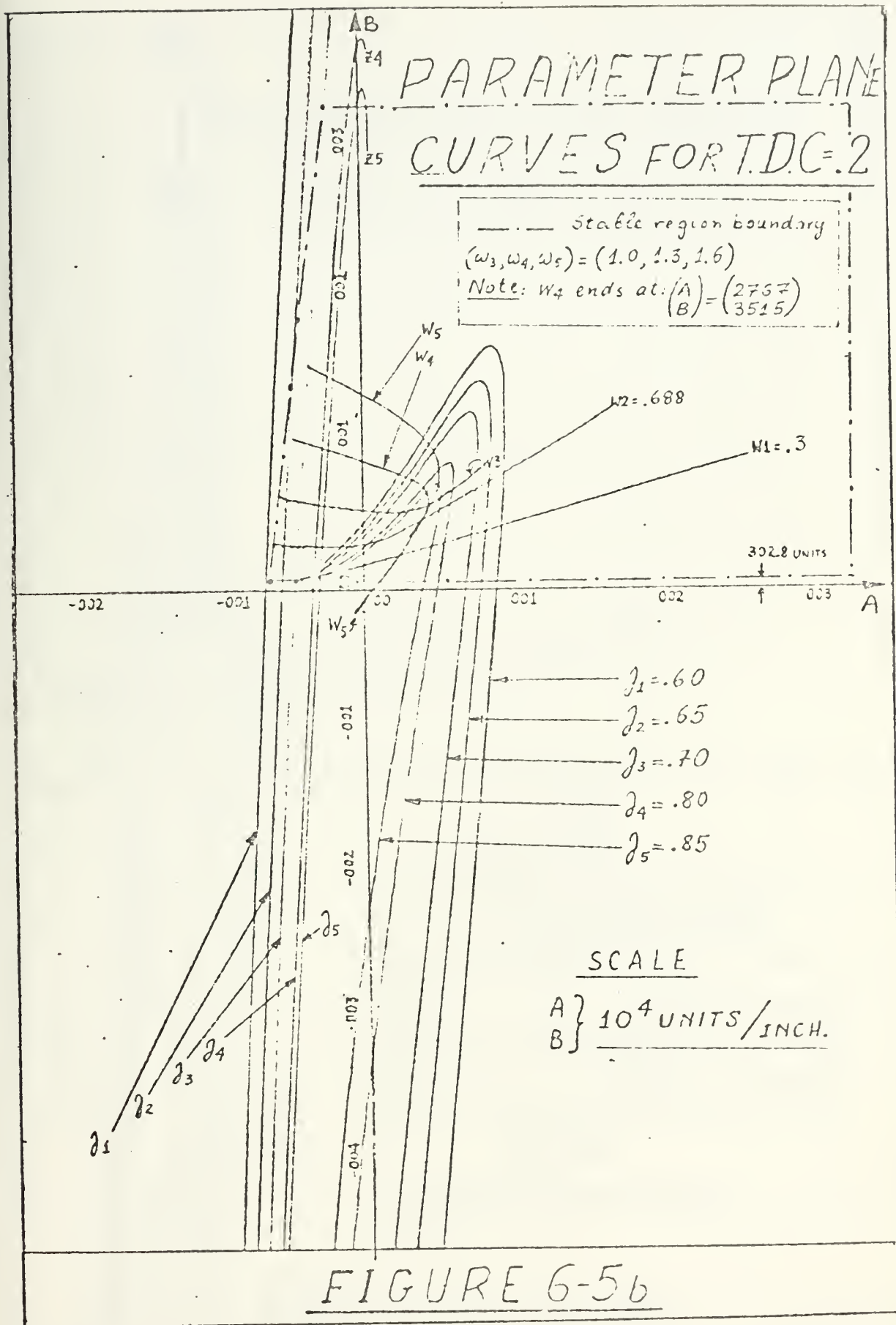


FIGURE 6-5a



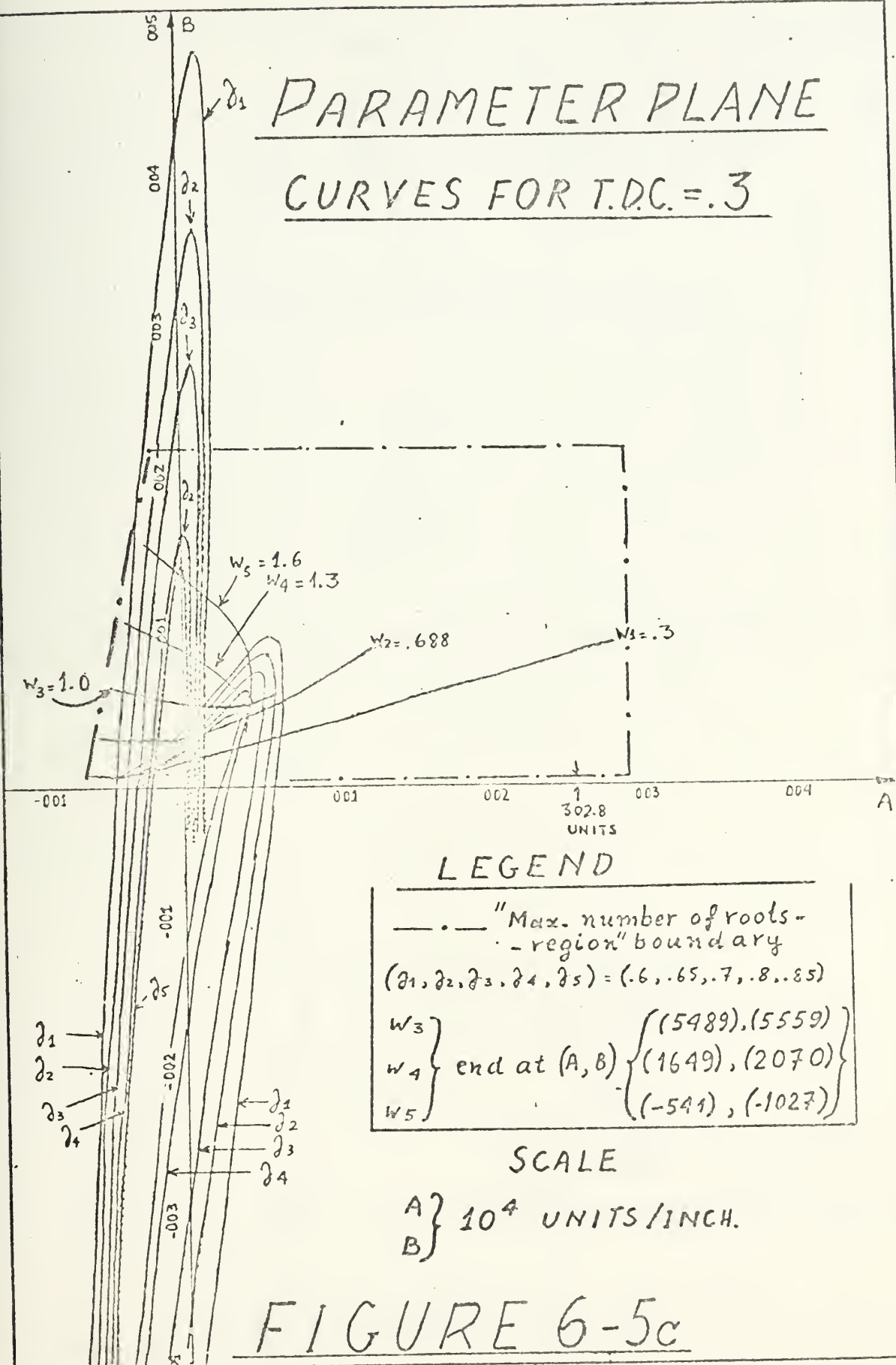






# PARAMETER PLANE

CURVES FOR T.D.C. = .3





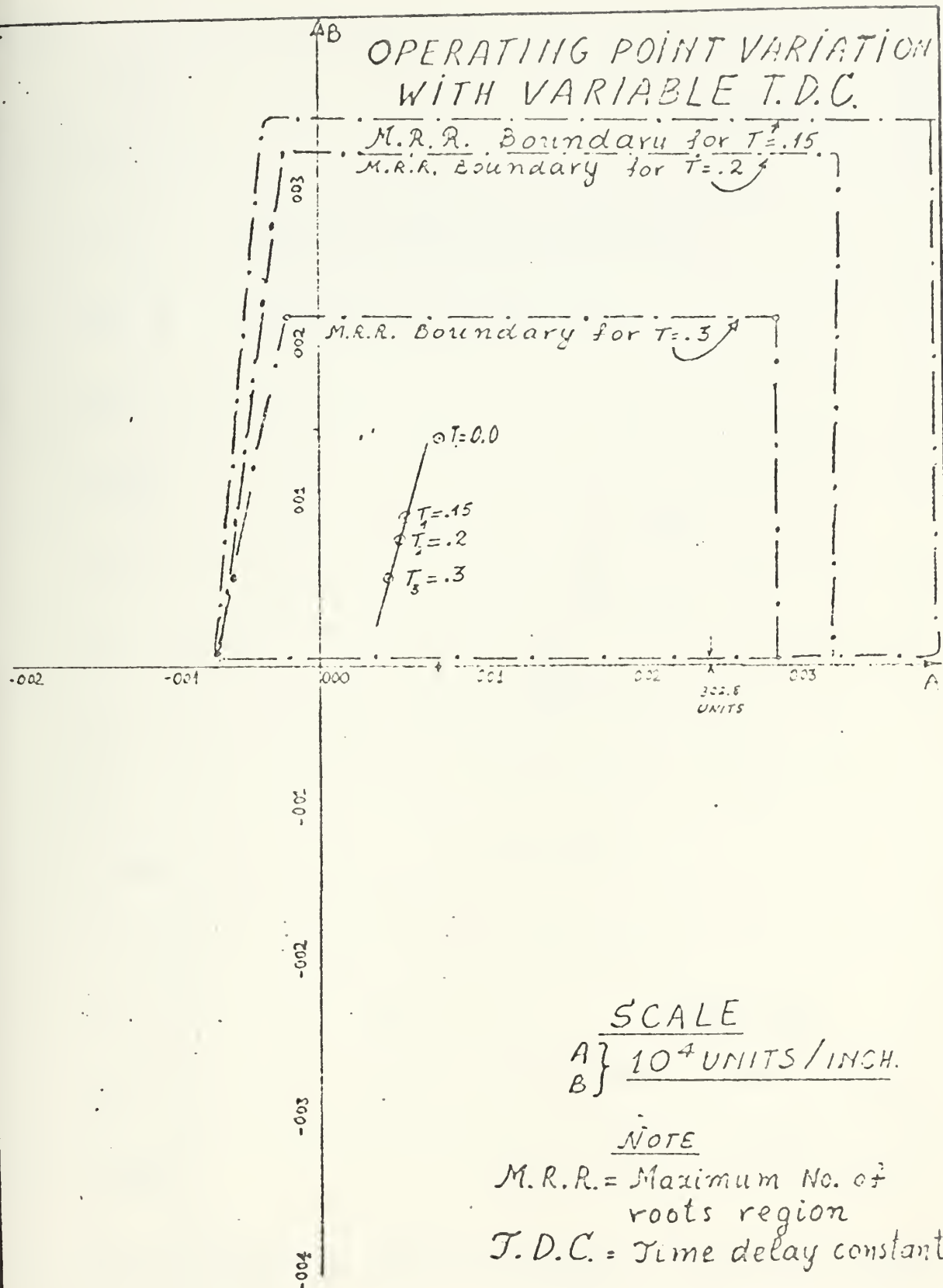


FIGURE 6-6



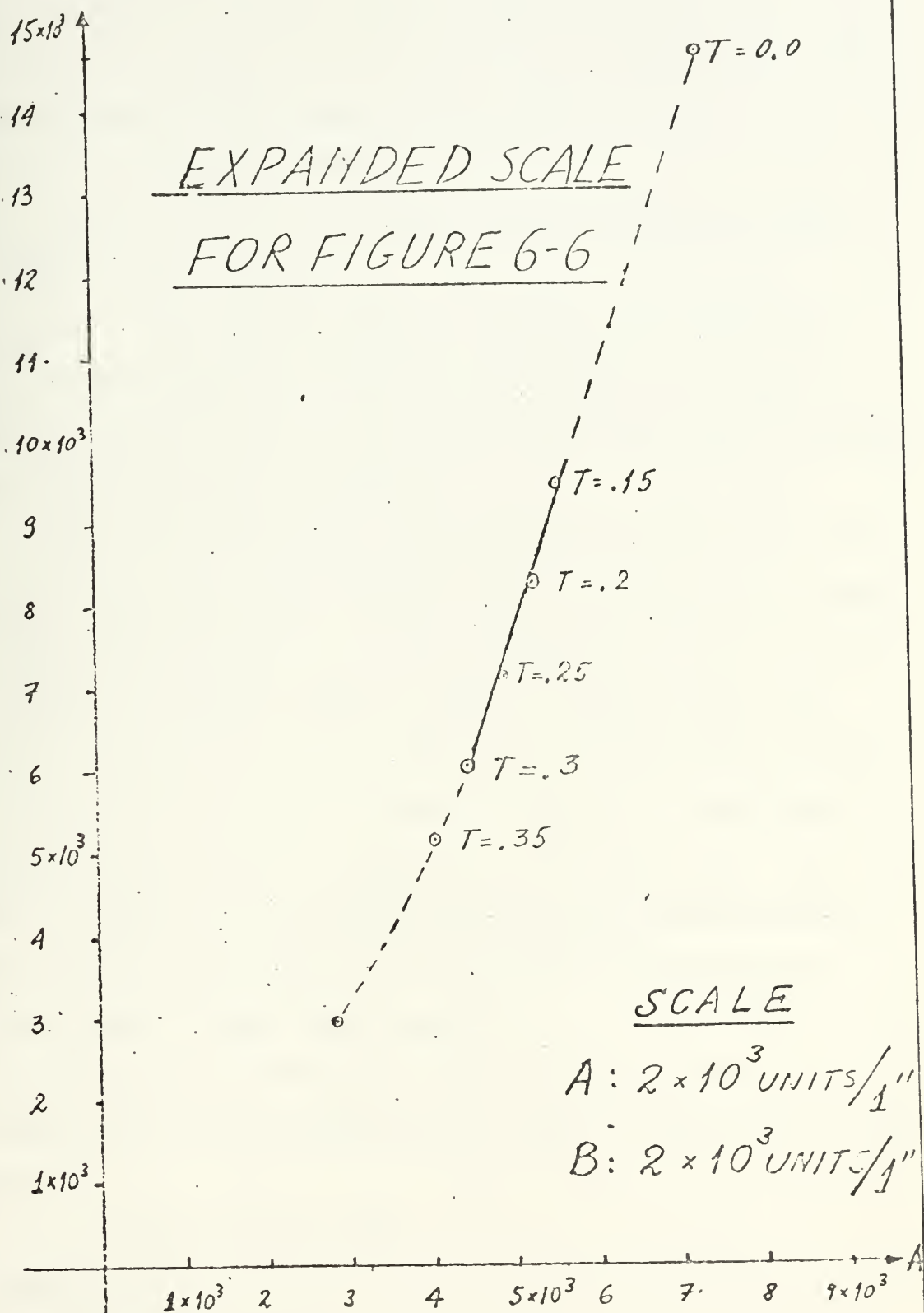


FIGURE 6-6a



However since there exists no limitation on the lower value of the time-delay to be used, or in other words since  $T_{\min} = .15$  is an admissible delay constant, the best choice of A,B values, in the absence of any other criterion to be met, is the set for  $T = .15$ :

$$(A,B) = (5574, 9453)$$

3. After having the first complex pole pair fixed, one should think about the other two pairs.

a. In the case the system is operating within the stable region, one should take into account that the complex pair at  $\omega_n = 69$  rad/sec contributes a very small percentage to the total system transient response and therefore can be neglected.

b. If the second pair remains near the  $(\omega_n, \zeta) = (.7, .35)$  zero pair, in the case now that finite delay is present, there will again occur small interference on the transient response from  $P_3, P_4$ . But in order for this to happen one should be able to observe constant  $(\omega_n)$  curves of about (.7) all over the stable region for time-delay constant in the range from (.15 ÷ .3). To show that this is true the parameter plane curves were solved for an average time delay value, ( $T = .225$ ), and plotted in figure 6-7. So by observing this figure one can see the existence of the  $\omega_n = 0.7$  curve spreading out across the A,B plane and therefore present for every (A,B) selection.

4. As far as the solution which was obtained by conventional means (root-locus, etc.) one can observe in figure 6-6a that, for  $T = 0.0$ , the set

$$(A,B) = (7340, 14680)$$

corresponding to

$$(K_p, K_\phi) = (95, 190),$$

lies in the stable region.





CONSTANT " $\xi$ " AND " $\omega_n$ " CRVS.  
 (" $\omega_n$ " SPREAD-OUT, IF AROUND  $\omega_n = .7$ )

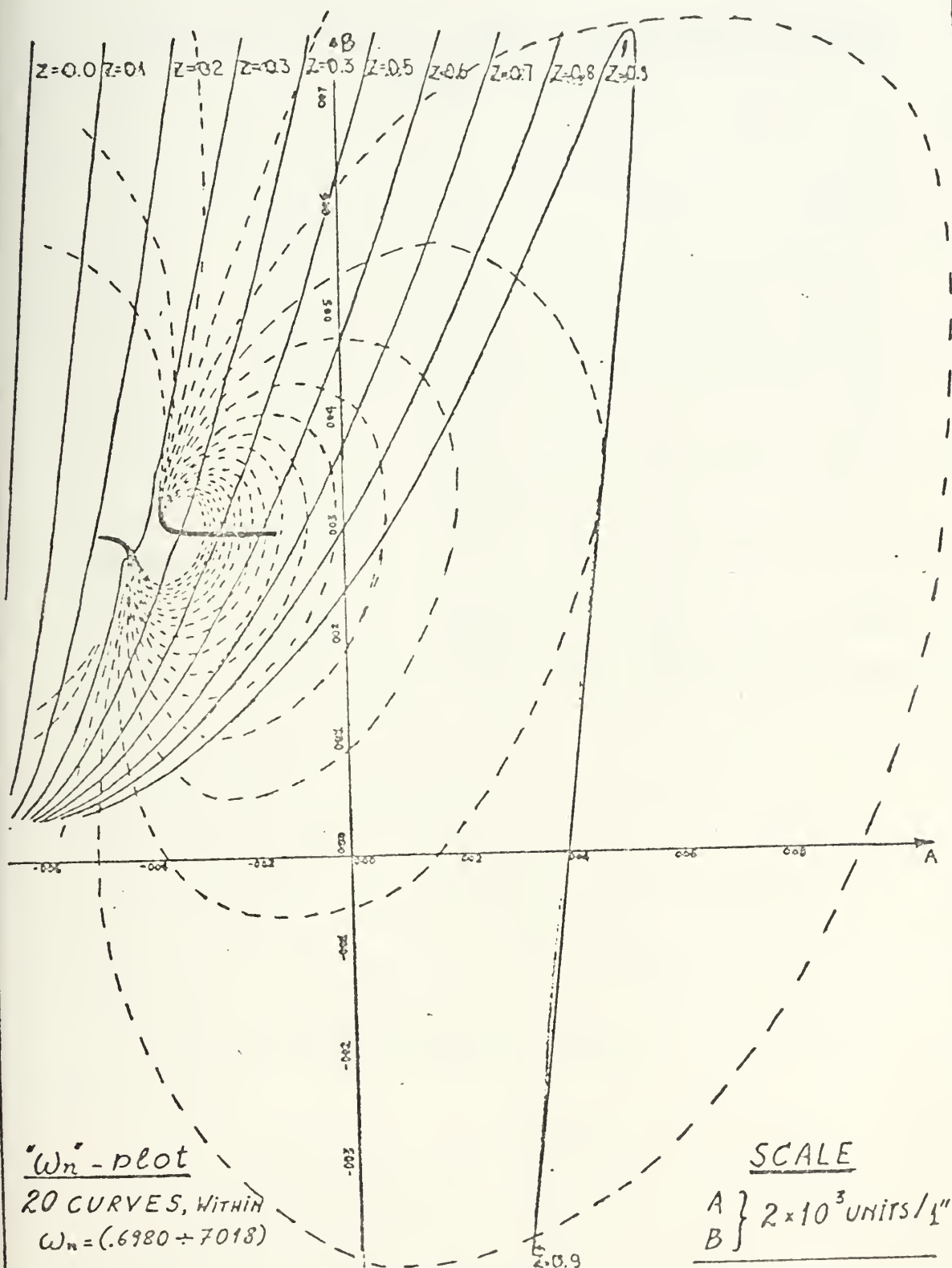


FIGURE 6-7



TABLE 6-3

VARIATION OF "A" AND "B" VERSUS "T" FOR CONSTANT OPERATION

ON  $(\omega_n, \zeta) = (1.6, .8)$ 

T sec	A units	B units	K <sub>p</sub>	K <sub>φ</sub>
0.0	7340	14680	95	190
0.5	2853	2962	37	38.4
0.1	5722	10568	74.1	136.6
0.15	5574	9453	72.2	122.5
0.2	5280	8279.4	68.4	107.2
0.25	4893	7130	63.3	92.3
0.3	4463.6	6064.1	57.8	78.6
0.35	4026.4	5110.3	52.2	67.5



## E. TIME DOMAIN SIMULATION

1. It would be convenient to present at this stage an appropriate transformation of the system from its physical block-diagram to another mathematically equivalent diagram which is appropriate for simulation.

Two such mathematical block diagrams are shown in figures 6-2a and 6-2b. The conventions used in figure 6-2a are shown in table 6-4.

2. From this time-domain simulation the time responses of figures 6-3a, to 6-3f were obtained, with the results as shown tabulated in table 6-5.

3. The steady state output one gets from equation (VI-1) is given by the formula

$$\Phi_{ss} = 1 * \frac{36.7}{.488B - 147.59}$$

## F. CONCLUSIONS

1. The system proved to be stable for  $T = .1, .15, .2, .25, .35$ .

2. The results of section IV and the time simulation coincide as far as the  $T = .1, T = .2$  cases are concerned.

3. For the  $T = .3$  stability analysis, it seems that for both the section's IV method and the time domain simulation, one would expect to get stability for  $T = .3$  by trying bigger frequency and final time ranges respectively. But since it was decided to use  $T = .15$ , this was not necessary.

4. The system is safe stability-wise to use for the selected parameters of:

$$\begin{array}{ll} A = 5574 & K_p = 72.2 \\ B = 9453 & K_\phi = 122.5 \end{array}$$

with a time-delay constant of  $T = .15$ .



# SYSTEMS

## "T-DOMAIN"-SIMULATION

### MODEL

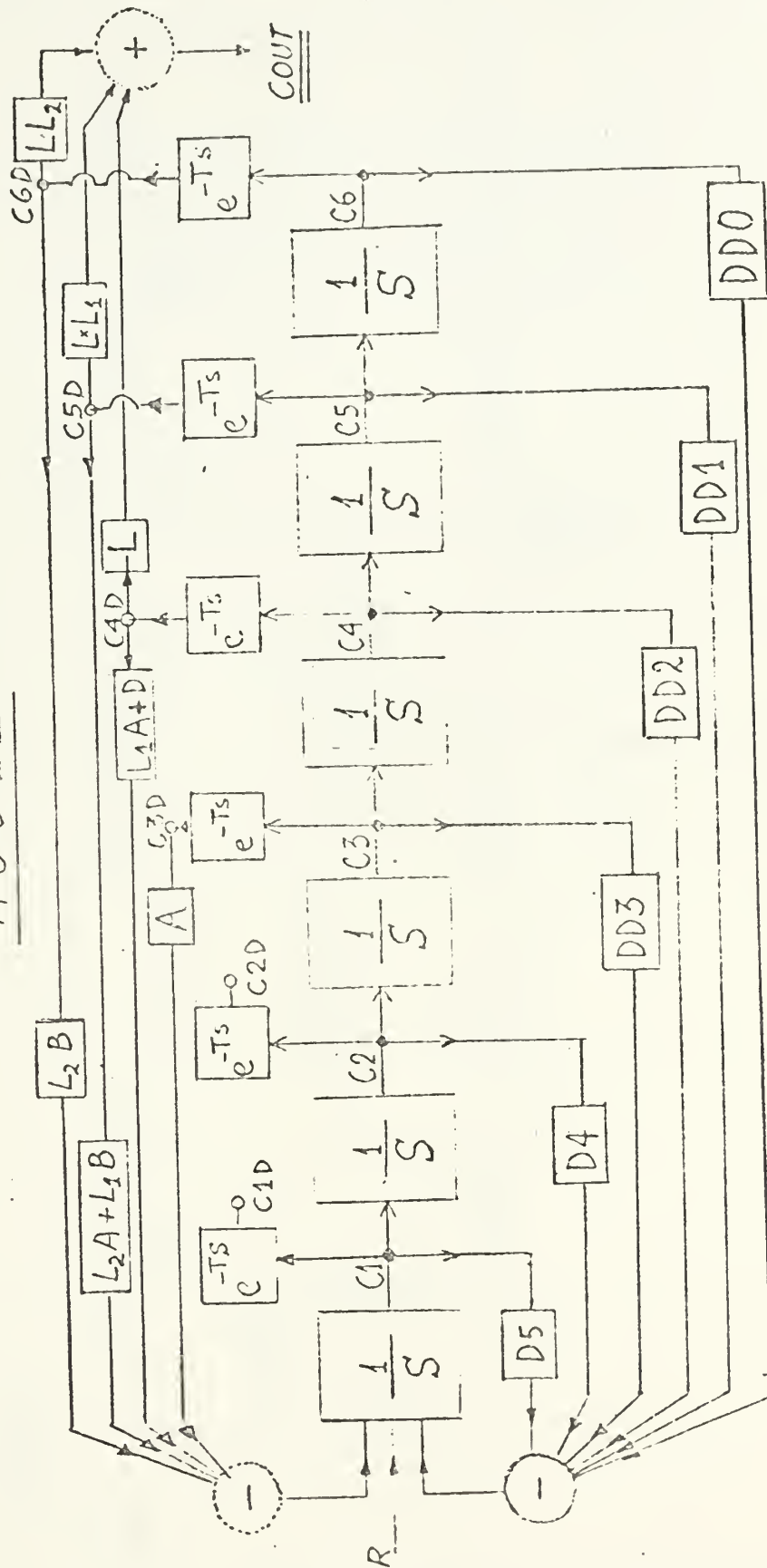


FIGURE 6-2a





# MATHEMATICAL BLOCK DIAGRAM, #2

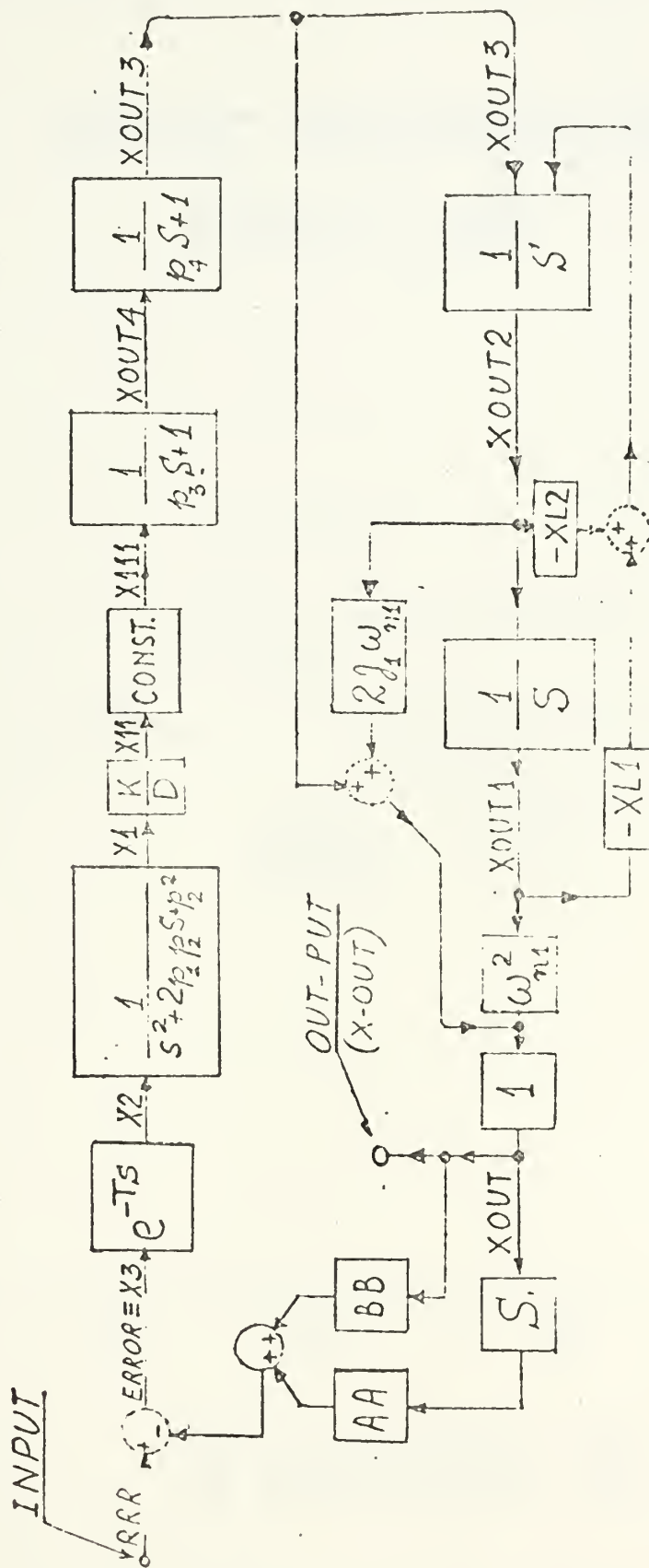


FIGURE 6-26



# TIME RESPONSE

$TDC = .10$

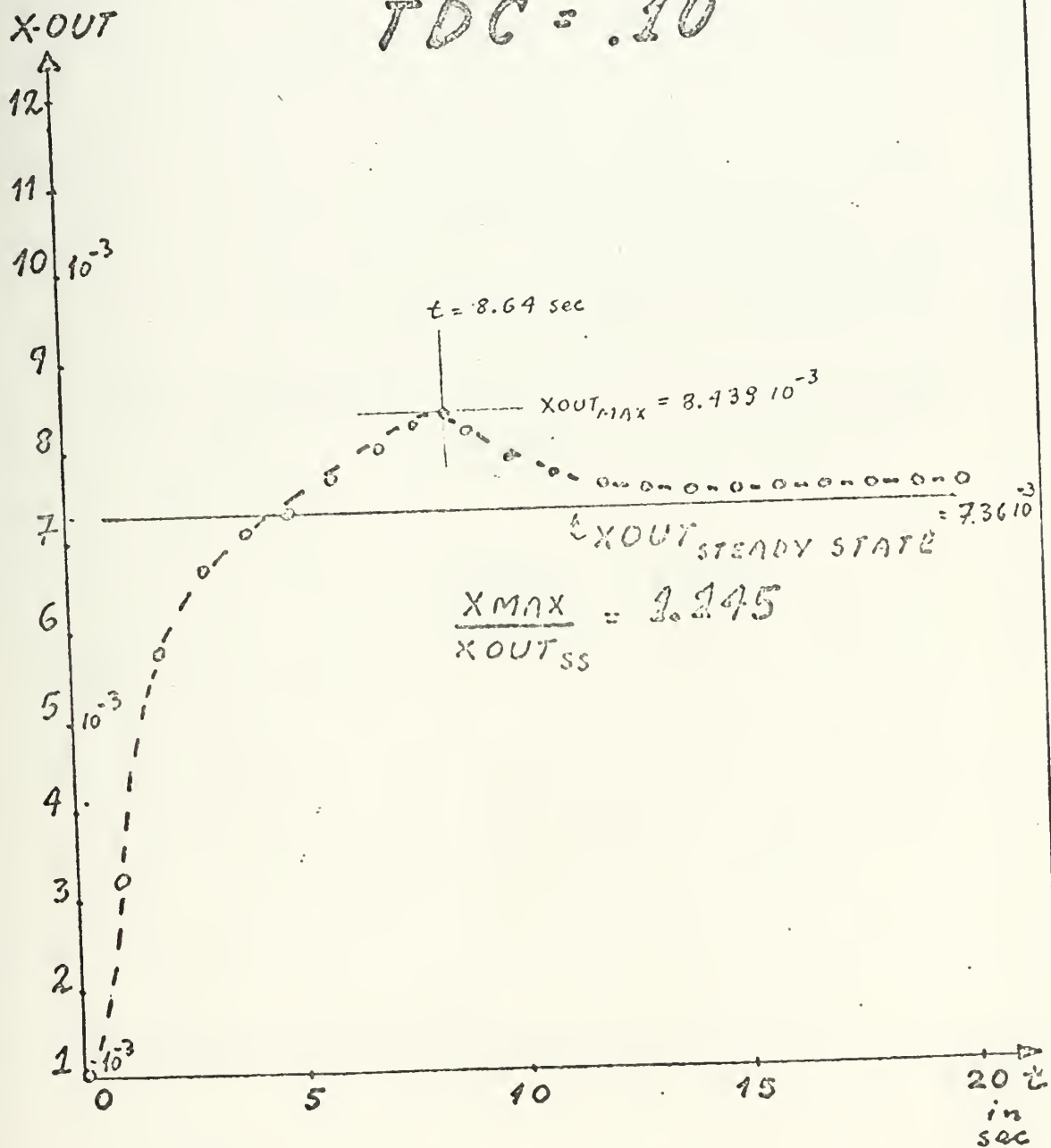


FIGURE 6-8A



# TIME RESPONSE

$TDC = .15$

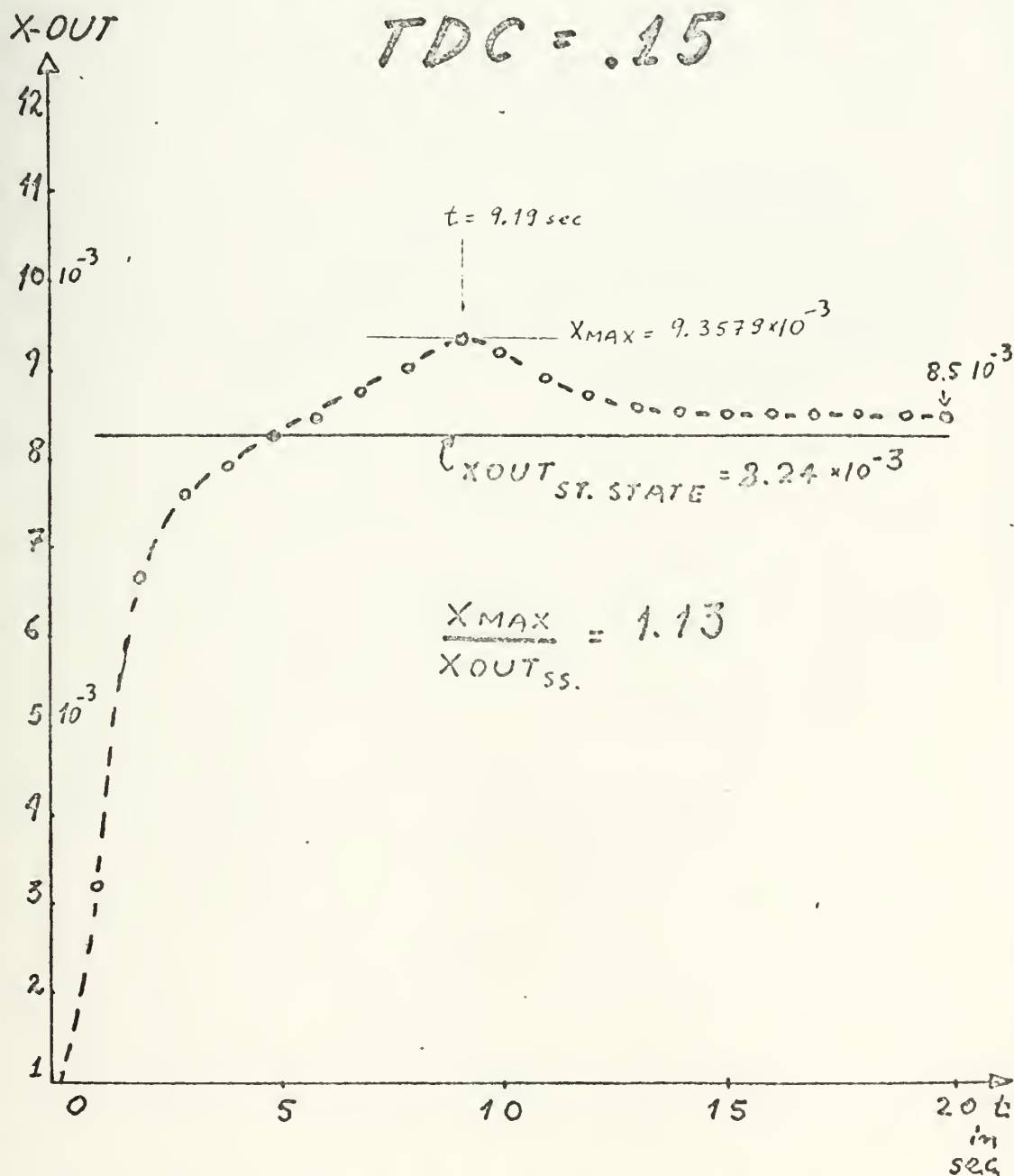


FIGURE 6-8B



# TIME RESPONSE

TDC = .20

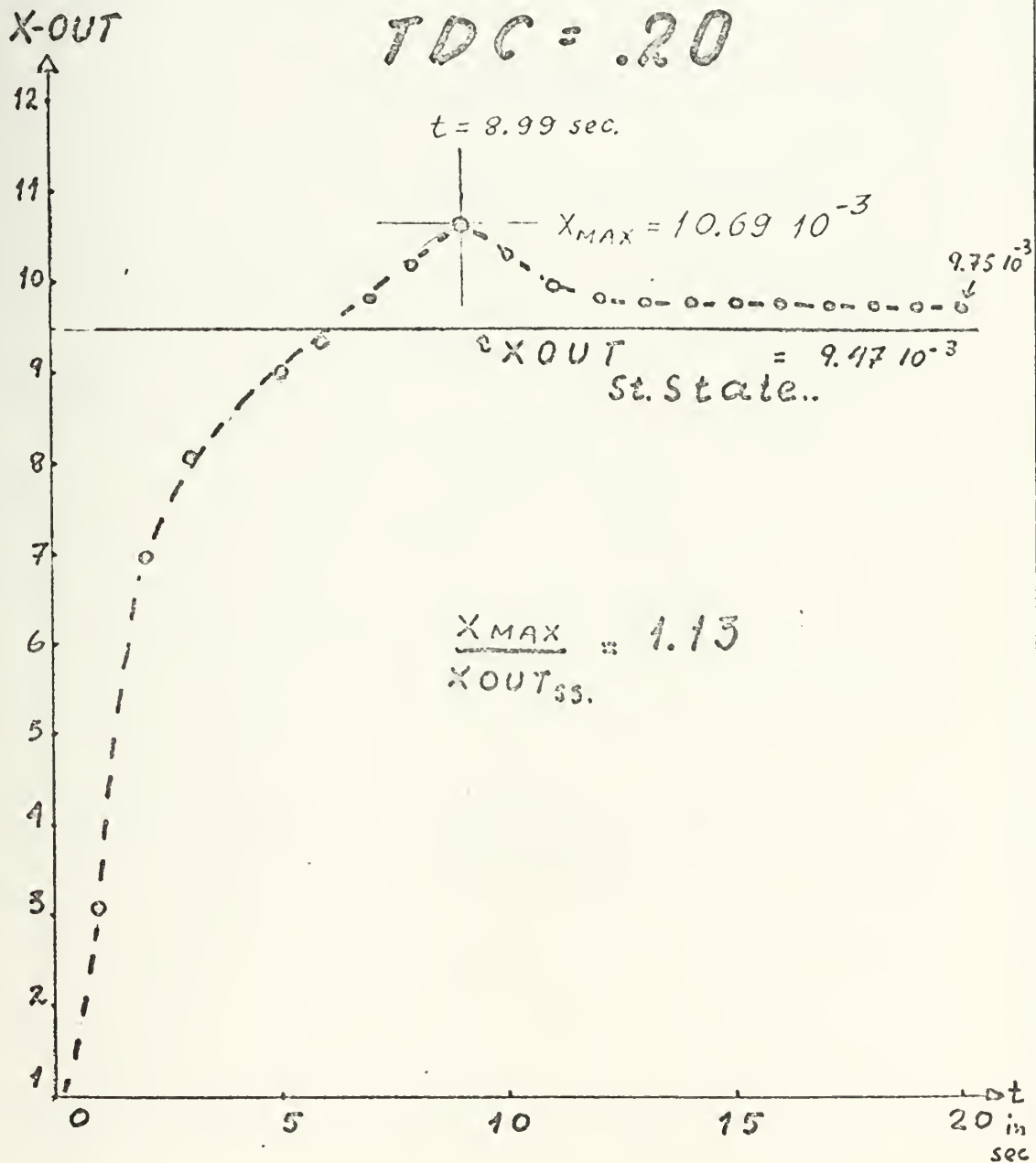


FIGURE 6-8c





# TIME RESPONSE

$TDC = .25$

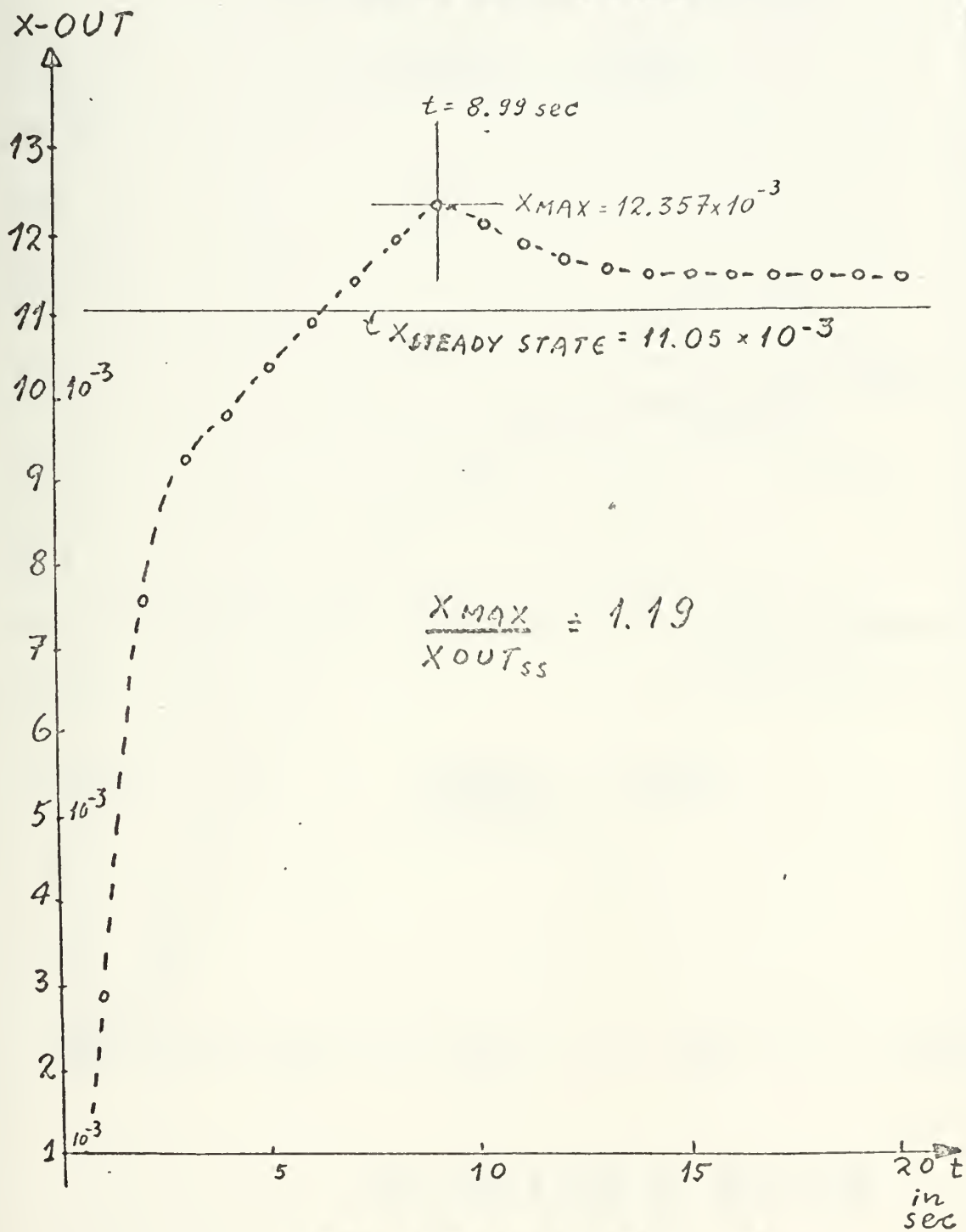


FIGURE 6-8 D



# TIME RESPONSE

$TDC = .30$

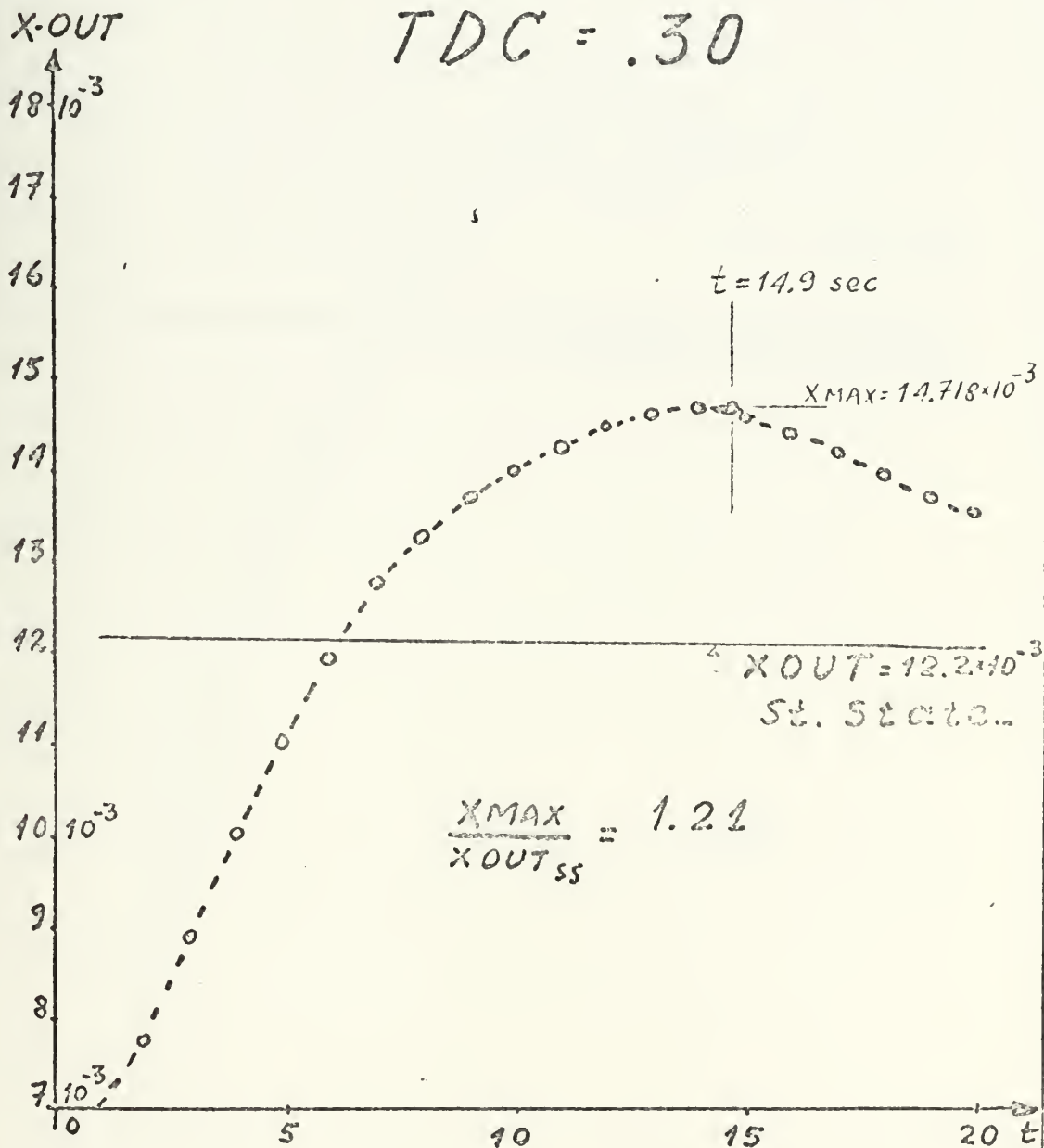


FIGURE 6-8E



# TIME RESPONSE

$$TDC = .35$$

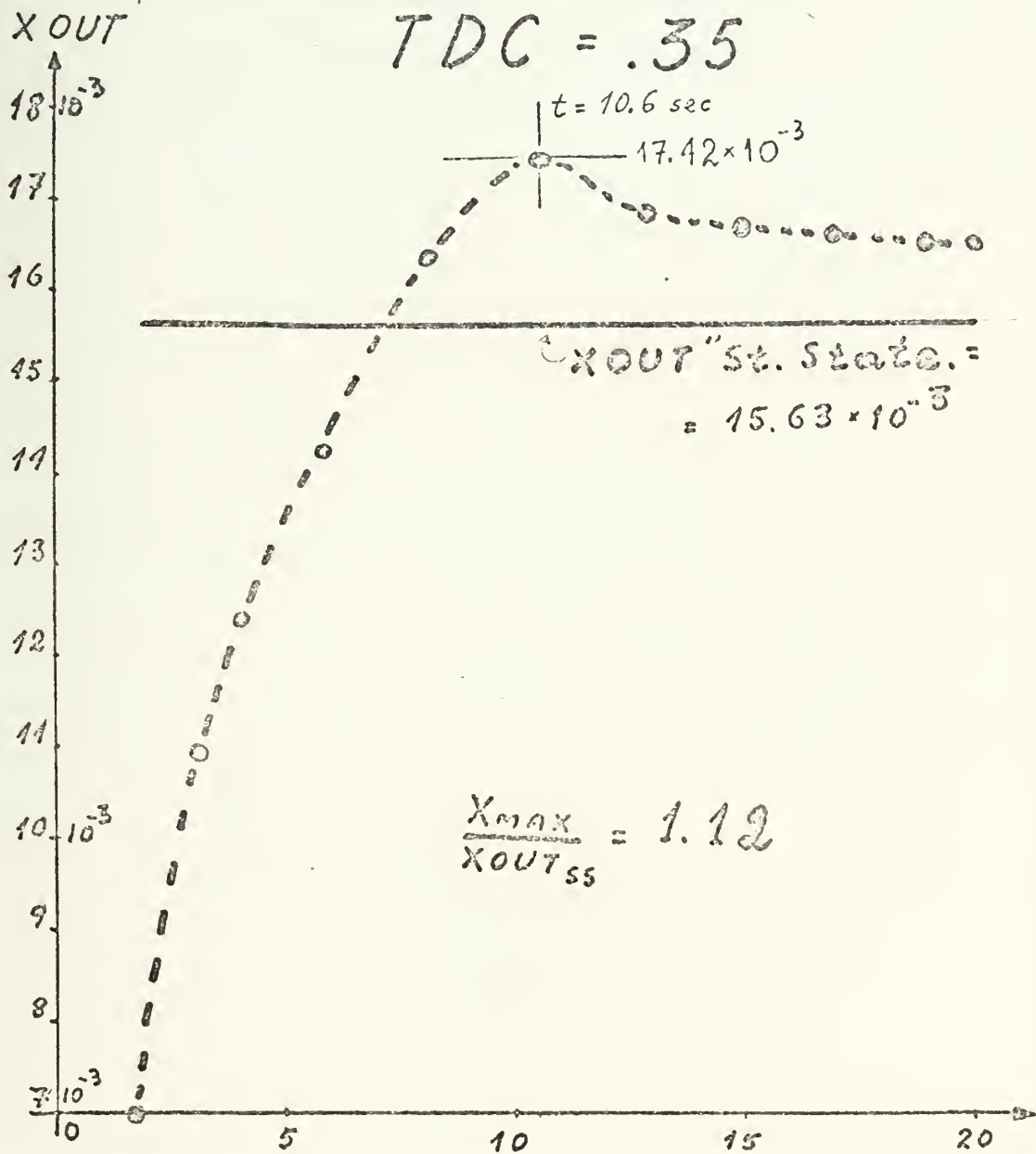


FIGURE 6-8F



The time- domain characteristics for a step response are for this case:

- $\alpha.$   $\frac{\text{"Max. Output"}}{\text{Steady State "Output"}} = 1.13$
- $\beta.$  Time for "Max Output" = 9.19 sec
- $\gamma.$  Rise Time (10%-90%) = 4.86 sec
- $\delta.$  Time to reach (1%) error= 10.4 sec
- $\epsilon.$  Error at "t=20 sec" = 2.8 ppt





TABLE 6-4

1. Delay

$$e^{-Ts} = T_d(s)$$

2. Numerator

$$\text{Call } I = 100$$

$$\frac{.305K}{D} = L = 77.2, (.444) = L_1, (.488) = L_2$$

then:

$$N_2 = L \times T_d(s)$$

$$N_1 = L_1 \times L \times T_d(s)$$

$$N_o = L_2 \times L \times T_d(s)$$

3. Denominator

$$D_6 = 1.0$$

$$D_5 = 98.469$$

$$D_4 = 4941.1680$$

$$D_3 = 8978.082 + A \times T_d(s)$$

$$D_2 = 5086.9961 + [(.444) \times A + B] \times T_d(s)$$

$$D_1 = 3162.6011 + [(.488) \times A + (.444) \times B] \times T_d(s)$$

$$D_o = -147.59 + [(.488) \times B] \times T_d(s)$$

$$DD3 = 8978.082$$

$$DD2 = 5086.9961$$

$$DD1 = 3162.6011$$

$$DD0 = -147.59$$

4. With the conventions of table 6-2 at hand, the system's transfer function becomes:

$$\frac{C}{R}(s) = \frac{N_2(s)s^2 + N_1(s)s^1 + N_o(s)}{D_6(s)s^6 + D_5(s)s^5 + D_4(s)s^4 + D_3(s)s^3 + D_2(s)s^2 + D_1(s)s + D_o(s)}$$



or

$$\frac{C}{R} = \frac{N_2 \frac{1}{s^4} + N_1 \frac{1}{s^5} + N_0 \frac{1}{s^6}}{1 + D_5 \frac{1}{s} + D_4 \frac{1}{s^2} + D_3 \frac{1}{s^3} + D_2 \frac{1}{s^4} + D_1 \frac{1}{s^5} + D_0 \frac{1}{s^6}}$$

From this form the signal-flow diagram of figure 6-2a, follows easily.



TABLE 6-5

Time Delay Constant	Maximum Output ( $10^{-3}$ units)	Time for Maximum Output (sec)	Maximum Output to Steady State Output (Ratio)	Error at 20 sec (p.p.th)	Remarks
.1	8.439	8.64	1.145	2.72	Stable
.15	9.358	9.19	1.13	2.8	Stable
.2	10.69	8.99	1.13	2.66	Stable
.25	12.36	8.99	1.19	3.26	Stable
.3	14.72	14.9	1.21	10.1	Shows to tend to be stable
.35	17.42	10.6	1.12	5.56	Stable



## APPENDIX A

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONCERNING THE ROOT-LOCUS ANALYSIS

#### OF A SYSTEM WITH TIME-DELAY

This appendix contains more specific information concerning the Padé approximations as well as data for the characteristic equation of the system:

$$\frac{C}{R} = \frac{N'(s)}{D'(s)} \quad (\text{see Table II})$$

resulting from the block diagram of figure 2-2, but with the above mentioned approximation inserted.

#### The Padé Approximation

If one represents by  $DE(s)$ , the transfer function of a time-delay in the "s-domain" then for  $T$  being the time-delay constant:

$$DE(s) = e^{-Ts} = 1 - Ts + \frac{(Ts)^2}{2!} - \frac{(Ts)^3}{3!} + \dots$$

As already mentioned in section II, the objective of the Padé approximations is to define two polynomials  $N_{a,b}(Ts)$  and  $D_{a,b}(Ts)$  of order "a" and "b", respectively, which have a quotient

$$F_{a,b}(Ts) = \left[ \frac{N_{a,b}(Ts)}{D_{a,b}(Ts)} \right]$$

such that a certain number of terms of both the related series expansion of  $DE(s)$  and this quotient are identical.

Letting:

$$F_{a,b}(Ts) = \frac{N_{a,b}(Ts)}{D_{a,b}(Ts)} = \frac{\lambda_0 + \lambda_1(Ts) + \lambda_2(Ts)^2 + \dots + \lambda_a(Ts)^a}{\mu_0 + \mu_1(Ts) + \mu_2(Ts)^2 + \dots + \mu_b(Ts)^b}$$





one observes that  $F_{a,b}(Ts)$ , is a function of the order  $a,b$  of  $N_{a,b}(Ts)$  and  $D_{a,b}(Ts)$ . So after selecting  $a,b$ , one must choose the appropriate values for the coefficients  $\lambda_0 \div \lambda_a$  and  $\mu_0 \div \mu_b$  in order to define the Padé approximation.

The polynomials  $N_{a,b}(Ts)$  and  $D_{a,b}(Ts)$  are specified by:

$$N_{a,b}(Ts) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{n=a} (-1)^n \frac{(Ts)^n}{n!} \prod_{m=0}^{m=n-1} \frac{a-m}{a+b-m}$$

$$D_{a,b}(Ts) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{n=b} \frac{(Ts)^n}{n!} \prod_{m=0}^{m=n-1} \frac{b-m}{a+b-m}$$

In Table A1, a list of the first six Padé approximations is tabulated.



TABLE A1

LIST OF THE FIRST SIX NORMAL ( $a=b$ ) AND REDUCED ( $a=b-1$ ) APPROXIMATIONSCall  $T_s = X$ :

$$F_{1,1}(X) = \frac{2 - X}{2 + X}$$

$$F_{0,1}(X) = \frac{1}{1 + X}$$

$$F_{2,2}(X) = \frac{12 - 6X + X^2}{12 + 6X + X^2}$$

$$F_{1,2}(X) = \frac{6 - 2X}{6 + 4X + X^2}$$

$$F_{3,3}(X) = \frac{120 - 60X + 12X^2 - X^3}{120 + 60X + 12X^2 + X^3}$$

$$F_{2,3}(X) = \frac{60 - 24X + 3X^2}{60 + 36X + 9X^2 + X^3}$$

$$F_{4,4}(X) = \frac{1680 - 840X + 180X^2 - 20X^3 + X^4}{1680 + 840X + 180X^2 + 20X^3 + X^4}$$

$$F_{3,4}(X) = \frac{840 - 360X + 60X^2 - 4X^3}{840 + 480X + 120X^2 + 16X^3 + X^4}$$

$$F_{5,5}(X) = \frac{30240 - 15120X + 3360X^2 - 420X^3 + 30X^4 - X^5}{30240 + 15120X + 3360X^2 + 420X^3 + 30X^4 + X^5}$$

$$F_{4,5}(X) = \frac{15120 - 6720X + 1260X^2 - 120X^3 + 5X^4}{15120 + 8400X + 2100X^2 + 300X^3 + 25X^4 + X^5}$$

$$F_{6,6}(X) = \frac{665280 - 332640X + 75600X^2 - 10080X^3 + 840X^4 - 42X^5 + X^6}{665280 + 332640X + 75600X^2 + 10080X^3 + 840X^4 + 42X^5 + X^6}$$

$$F_{5,6}(X) = \frac{332640 - 151200X + 30240X^2 - 3360X^3 + 210X^4 - 6X^5}{332640 + 181440X + 45360X^2 + 6720X^3 + 630X^4 + 36X^5 + X^6}$$

Note: For more detail on the Padé approximation, see reference [3].



TABLE A2

DATA RELEVANT TO THE CHARACTERISTIC EQUATION OF THE SYSTEM SHOWN IN FIGURE  
2-2 OF SECTION II

Characteristic Equation:

$$(0)s^0 + (1680)s^1 + \left[ \begin{array}{c} 840T \\ + \\ 1680 \end{array} \right] s^2 + \left[ \begin{array}{c} 180T^2 \\ + \\ 840T \end{array} \right] s^3 + \left[ \begin{array}{c} 20T^3 \\ + \\ 180T^2 \end{array} \right] s^4 + \left[ \begin{array}{c} T^4 \\ + \\ 20T^3 \end{array} \right] s^5 + \left[ \begin{array}{c} T^4 \end{array} \right] s^6 +$$

$$K \left[ (1680)s^0 - (840T)s + (180T^2)s^2 - (20T^3)s^3 + (T^4)s^4 \right] = 0$$

Calculations For Repetitive Terms:

Terms	0.1	T 0.2	0.3	1.0
840T	84	168	252	840
180T <sup>2</sup>	1.8	7.2	16.2	180
20T <sup>3</sup>	.02	.16	.54	20
T <sup>4</sup>	10 <sup>-4</sup>	16x10 <sup>-4</sup>	81x10 <sup>-4</sup>	1



## APPENDIX B

### PARAMETER PLANE (CONSTANT " $\omega_n$ " and " $\zeta$ ") EQUATIONS FOR A SYSTEM WITH A TIME DELAY

The characteristic equation of a system is given to be:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n d_K \cdot s^K + \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} a_K'' e^{-Ts} s^K = 0 \quad (B-1)$$

where  $a_K'' = Ab_K + Bc_K$  (B-2)

These are the equations (III-2) and (III-3) which characterize the system of figure 3-1 encountered in chapter 3.

The objective is to derive a set of two equations of the form:

$$\begin{aligned} A \cdot B_1(\omega_n, \zeta) + B \cdot C_1(\omega_n, \zeta) + D_1(\omega_n, \zeta) &= 0 \\ A \cdot B_2(\omega_n, \zeta) + B \cdot C_2(\omega_n, \zeta) + D_2(\omega_n, \zeta) &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad (B-3)$$

where:  $[B_i, C_i, D_i]_{i=1,2}$  should be explicit functions of  $\omega_n$ , and  $\zeta$  and A, B the unknowns.

Using the fact that

$$s = \omega_n (\cos \theta + j \sin \theta) = \omega_n e^{j\theta}$$

it follows that:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} a_K'' e^{-Ts} \cdot s^K &= \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} a_K'' e^{-T\omega_n (\cos \theta + j \sin \theta)} (\omega_n e^{j\theta})^K = \\ \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} a_K'' e^{-T\omega_n \cos \theta - j T\omega_n \sin \theta} \omega_n^K e^{jK\theta} &= \\ \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} a_K'' \omega_n^K e^{-T\omega_n \cos \theta} e^{j[K\theta - T\omega_n \sin \theta]} \end{aligned}$$





Now expanding  $e^{j[K\theta - Tw_n \sin \theta]}$  and getting  $e^{-Tw_n \cos \theta}$  out of the summation operator, one can get:

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\ell} a_K'' e^{-Ts} s^K = \quad (B-4)$$

$$e^{-Tw_n \cos \theta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} a_K'' \omega_n^K \left[ \cos(K\theta - Tw_n \sin \theta) + j \sin(K\theta - Tw_n \sin \theta) \right]$$

Similarly then:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n d_K s^K = \sum_{k=0}^n d_K \omega_n^K (\cos K\theta + j \sin K\theta) \quad (B-5)$$

By substituting equations (B-4), (B-5) into equation (B-1) and by separating the equation into two parts, one for reals and one for imaginaries, it follows:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n d_K \omega_n^K \cos K\theta + e^{-Tw_n \cos \theta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} a_K'' \omega_n^K \cos(K\theta - Tw_n \sin \theta) = 0$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^n d_K \omega_n^K \sin K\theta + e^{-Tw_n \cos \theta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} a_K'' \omega_n^K \sin(K\theta - Tw_n \sin \theta) = 0$$

and by substituting

$a_K'' = Ab_K + Bc_K$ , (B-2), one arrives to the following two equations:

$$A \left[ e^{-Tw_n \cos \theta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} b_K \omega_n^K \cos(K\theta - Tw_n \sin \theta) \right] +$$

$$B \left[ e^{-Tw_n \cos \theta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} c_K \omega_n^K \cos(K\theta - Tw_n \sin \theta) \right] +$$

$$\left[ \sum_{k=0}^n d_K \omega_n^K \cos K\theta \right] = 0 \quad (B-6a)$$



and:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & A \left[ e^{-T\omega_n \cos \theta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} b_{K_n}^{(\omega)} \sin(K\theta - T\omega_n \sin \theta) \right] + \\
 & B \left[ e^{-T\omega_n \cos \theta} \sum_{k=0}^{\ell} c_{K_n}^{(\omega)} \sin(K\theta - T\omega_n \sin \theta) \right] + \\
 & \left[ \sum_{k=0}^n d_{K_n}^{(\omega)} \sin K\theta \right] = 0 \quad (B-6b)
 \end{aligned}$$

One should notice that equations (B-6) are more or less of the form of equations (B-3), which are the target, since  $\cos\theta$ ,  $\sin\theta$ , and  $\theta$  can be expressed as functions of  $\zeta$ , so theoretically, the problem is solved. But since in general a digital computer solution is desirable, it is noticed that a summation in  $K$  containing

$$\sin(K\theta - T\omega_n \sin \theta) \text{ or } \cos(K\theta - T\omega_n \sin \theta)$$

will not be too easy to evaluate.

So this is the point that one must refer to reference [4] and appreciate the fact that he found some existing recursive relations in his parameter plane analysis without a time-delay. From this fact, it is of value to think that perhaps the same thing applies for the case under consideration

For this reason one can try:

1. First Set of Substitutions.

Call:

$$Y_K = \sin(K\theta - T\omega_n \sin \theta) \quad (B-7a)$$

$$X_K = \cos(K\theta - T\omega_n \sin \theta) \quad (B-7b)$$

From equation (I-7b), by substituting  $\cos \theta = -\zeta$ ,  $\sin \theta = (1-\zeta^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ , and by appropriate trigonometric expansion it follows that:



$$X_{-1} = -(\sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \sin [T\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}] + \zeta \cos [T\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}])$$

$$X_0 = \cos [T\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}]$$

$$X_1 = \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} \sin [T\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}] - \zeta \cos [T\omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2}] \quad (B-8)$$

Similar relations can be derived for  $Y_{-1}$ ,  $Y_0$ ,  $Y_1$  but this is not necessary.

It can be shown by induction applied to equations (B-7), (see Appendix C), that:

$$X_{K+1} = -2\zeta X_K - X_{K-1} \quad (B-9a)$$

$$Y_{K+1} = -2\zeta Y_K - Y_{K-1} \quad (B-9b)$$

$$Y_K = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} [\zeta X_K + X_{K-1}] \quad (B-9c)$$

## 2. Second Set of Substitutions.

Call:

$$U_K = \sin K\theta \quad (B-10a)$$

$$T_K = \cos K\theta \quad (B-10b)$$

It follows that:

$$T_{-1} = -\zeta$$

$$T_0 = 1$$

$$T_1 = -\zeta \quad (B-11)$$

and again by induction from equations (I-10) it can be proved (see Appendix C), that :

$$T_{K+1} = -2\zeta T_K - T_{K-1} \quad (B-12a)$$

$$U_{K+1} = -2\zeta U_K - U_{K-1} \quad (B-12b)$$



$$U_K = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\zeta^2}} (\zeta T_K + T_{K-1}) \quad (\text{B-12c})$$

Now after noting that

$$e^{-Tw_n \cos \theta} = e^{Tw_n \zeta}$$

and by using equations (B-7) and (B-10) into equations (B-6), one can get equations of the form (B-3) with:

$$\begin{aligned} B_1 &= B_1(w_n, \zeta, X_K) \\ C_1 &= C_1(w_n, \zeta, X_K) \\ D_1 &= D_1(w_n, \zeta, T_K) \\ B_2 &= B_2(w_n, \zeta, Y_K) \\ C_2 &= C_2(w_n, \zeta, Y_K) \\ D_2 &= D_2(w_n, \zeta, U_K) \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B-13})$$

The final step in this derivation is to use equations (B-9c) and (B-12c) which provide  $Y_K$  and  $U_K$ , in terms  $(X_K, X_{K-1})$  and  $(T_K, T_{K-1})$  respectively.

So finally from (B-6), (B-13), (B-9c), (B-12c) it follows:

$$\begin{aligned} A \left[ e^{Tw_n \zeta} \sum_{K=0}^{\ell} b_K w_n^K X_K(\zeta, w_n) \right] + B \left[ e^{Tw_n \zeta} \sum_{K=0}^{\ell} c_K w_n^K X_K(\zeta, w_n) \right] + \\ \left[ \sum_{k=0}^n d_K w_n^K T_K(\zeta) \right] = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B-14a})$$

$$\begin{aligned} A \left[ e^{Tw_n \zeta} \sum_{K=0}^{\ell} b_K w_n^K (\zeta \cdot X_K(\zeta, w_n) + X_{K-1}(\zeta, w_n)) \right] + \\ B \left[ e^{Tw_n \zeta} \sum_{K=0}^{\ell} c_K w_n^K (\zeta \cdot X_K(\zeta, w_n) + X_{K-1}(\zeta, w_n)) \right] + \\ \left[ \sum_{K=0}^n d_K w_n^K (\zeta \cdot T_K(\zeta) + T_{K-1}(\zeta)) \right] = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B-14b})$$





where:

$$T_{K+1} = -2\zeta T_K - T_{K-1} \quad (\text{B-12a})$$

$$X_{K+1} = -2\zeta X_K - X_{K-1} \quad (\text{B-9a})$$

Equation (B-8) and (B-11), giving  $X_{-1}$ ,  $X_0$ ,  $X_1$  and  $T_{-1}$ ,  $T_0$ ,  $T_1$  are also necessary if a computer solution of equations (B-14) is implemented.

The definitions of  $[B_i, C_i, D_i]_{i=1,2}$  follow by comparison of equations (B-3) and (B-14):

$$\begin{aligned} B_1 &= e^{Tw_n\zeta} \sum_{K=0}^{\ell} b_{K,n}^{\omega} X_K(\zeta, \omega_n) \\ C_1 &= e^{Tw_n\zeta} \sum_{K=0}^{\ell} c_{K,n}^{\omega} X_K(\zeta, \omega_n) \\ D_1 &= \sum_{K=0}^n d_{K,n}^{\omega} T_K(\zeta) \\ B_2 &= e^{Tw_n\zeta} \sum_{K=0}^{\ell} b_{K,n}^{\omega} [\zeta X_K(\zeta, \omega_n) + X_{K-1}(\zeta, \omega_n)] \\ C_2 &= e^{Tw_n\zeta} \sum_{K=0}^{\ell} c_{K,n}^{\omega} [\zeta X_K(\zeta, \omega_n) + X_{K-1}(\zeta, \omega_n)] \\ D_2 &= \sum_{K=0}^n d_{K,n}^{\omega} [\zeta T_K(\zeta) + T_{K-1}(\zeta)] \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B-15})$$

So if  $B_1 C_2 - B_2 C_1 \neq 0$  one can get from (A-3):

$$\begin{aligned} A &= (C_1 D_2 - C_2 D_1) / (B_1 C_2 - B_2 C_1) \\ B &= (B_2 D_1 - D_2 B_1) / (B_1 C_2 - B_2 C_1) \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B-16})$$



## APPENDIX C

### PROOF OF THE VALIDITY OF THE RECURSION RELATIONS USED IN APPENDIX A

1. To prove that the relations (I-9) are true one must first prove their validity for  $K = 1$ , and then given the truth of these relations for  $K = V$  one must prove their truth for  $K = V+1$ .

2. Validity of Relations (B-9) for  $K = 1$ .

a. In that case it is required to prove that:

$$(1) \quad X_2 = -2\zeta X_1 - X_0 \quad (C-1)$$

$$(2) \quad Y_2 = -2\zeta Y_1 - Y_0 \quad (C-2)$$

$$(3) \quad Y_1 = (1-\zeta^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}[\zeta X_1 + X_0] \quad (C-3)$$

given, of course that,

$$Y_K = \sin(K\theta - Tw_n \sin \theta)$$

and 
$$X_K = \cos(K\theta - Tw_n \sin \theta)$$

b. By direct substitution of  $X_2$ ,  $X_1$ ,  $X_0$  and appropriate trigonometric expansions in equation (C-1) one gets:

$$\begin{aligned} \cos 2\theta \cos(Tw_n \sin \theta) + \sin 2\theta \sin(Tw_n \sin \theta) = \\ (-2\zeta \cos \theta - 1) \cos(Tw_n \sin \theta) - 2\zeta \sin \theta \sin(Tw_n \sin \theta) \end{aligned}$$

and taking into account that:

$$\zeta = -\cos \theta$$

it is obvious that:

$$-2\zeta \cos \theta - 1 = 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1 \equiv \cos 2\theta$$

and 
$$-2\zeta \sin \theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \equiv \sin 2\theta$$

Therefore, equation (C-1) is true.



c. In a similar way one can get that equation (C-2) is true.

d. Substituting for  $Y_1, X_1, X_0$  in equation (C-3), one gets the following:

$$\begin{aligned} & \sin \theta \cos(Tw_n \sin \theta) - \cos \theta \sin(Tw_n \sin \theta) = \\ & (1-\zeta^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} [\zeta \cos \theta \cdot \cos(Tw_n \sin \theta) + \zeta \sin \theta \cdot \sin(Tw_n \sin \theta) + \cos(-Tw_n \sin \theta)] \end{aligned}$$

This relation is true since  $\zeta = -\cos \theta$  as mentioned before. So equation (C-3) is valid.

3. Now in the case that  $K=V$ , one must prove that:

$$(1) \quad X_{V+2} = -2\zeta X_{V+1} - X_V \quad (C-7)$$

$$(2) \quad Y_{V+2} = -2\zeta Y_{V+1} - Y_V \quad (C-8)$$

$$(3) \quad Y_{V+1} = (1-\zeta^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} [\zeta X_1 + X_0] \quad (C-9)$$

provided that

$$(4) \quad X_{V+1} = -2\zeta X_V - X_{V-1} \quad (C-4)$$

$$(5) \quad Y_{V+1} = -2\zeta Y_V - Y_{V-1} \quad (C-5)$$

$$(6) \quad Y_V = (1-\zeta^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} [\zeta X_V + X_{V-1}] \quad (C-6)$$

4. The proof for the three sets of equations in pairs of two follows the same pattern, so it is enough to actually prove that the relations (C-4) and (C-7) are true. This can be done in steps as follows:

a. By trigonometric expansion of the relation

$$X_K = \cos(K\theta - [Tw_n \sin \theta])$$

for:  $K = V-1, V, V+1, V+2$

$$\begin{aligned} X_{V-1} &= (\cos V\theta \cos \theta + \sin V\theta \sin \theta) \cos[Tw_n \sin \theta] + \\ & \quad (\sin V\theta \cos \theta - \cos V\theta \sin \theta) \sin[Tw_n \sin \theta] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} X_V &= \cos V\theta \cos[Tw_n \sin \theta] + \sin V\theta \sin[Tw_n \sin \theta] \\ &\equiv (\cos(V+1)\theta \cos \theta + \sin(V+1)\theta \sin \theta) \cos[Tw_n \sin \theta] + \\ & \quad (\sin(V+1)\theta \cos \theta - \cos(V+1)\theta \sin \theta) \sin[Tw_n \sin \theta] \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
X_{V+1} &= \cos(V+1)\theta \cos[Tw_n \sin\theta] + \sin(V+1)\theta \sin[Tw_n \sin\theta] \\
&\equiv (\cos V\theta \cos\theta - \sin V\theta \sin\theta) \cos[Tw_n \sin\theta] + \\
&\quad (\sin V\theta \cos\theta + \cos V\theta \sin\theta) \sin[Tw_n \sin\theta] \\
X_{V+2} &= (\cos(V+1)\theta \cos[Tw_n \sin\theta] + \sin(V+1)\theta \sin[Tw_n \sin\theta]) \cos\theta + \\
&\quad (\cos(V+1)\theta \sin[Tw_n \sin\theta] - \sin(V+1)\theta \cos[Tw_n \sin\theta]) \sin\theta
\end{aligned}$$

b. By observing that:

$$\begin{aligned}
X_{V+1} &= X_V \cos\theta - \sin\theta \sin[V\theta - Tw_n \sin\theta], \text{ and} \\
X_{V-1} &= X_V \cos\theta + \sin\theta \sin[V\theta - Tw_n \sin\theta]
\end{aligned}$$

which added together, they give

$$\begin{aligned}
X_{V+1} + X_{V-1} &= 2 \cos\theta X_V, \text{ or} \\
X_{V+1} &= -2\zeta X_V - X_{V-1} \\
X_{V+2} &= X_{V+1} \cos\theta - \sin\theta \sin[(V+1)\theta - Tw_n \sin\theta] \text{ and} \\
X_V &= X_{V+1} \cos\theta + \sin\theta \sin[(V+1)\theta - Tw_n \sin\theta]
\end{aligned}$$

which added together give

$$\begin{aligned}
X_{V+2} + X_V &= 2 \cos\theta X_{V+1}, \text{ or} \\
X_{V+2} &= -2\zeta X_{V+1} - X_V
\end{aligned}$$

c. Now since  $X_{K+1} = -2\zeta X_K - X_{K-1}$  holds for  $K = 1$  as well as for  $K = V$ , and  $V + 1$ , it holds for every other value of  $K$ . Q.E.D.

5. The proof that equations (I-12) are also valid follows the same procedure discussed from paragraph 1 up to 4 of this Appendix. But in order to prevent unnecessary duplication one can show only some portion of the last part of this proof just for demonstration:

a. Since  $T_K = \cos K\theta$  and  $U_K = \sin K\theta$  by trigonometric expansion follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
(1) \quad T_{K-1} &= \cos K\theta \cos\theta + \sin K\theta \sin\theta \\
T_K &= \cos K\theta \\
T_{K+1} &= \cos K\theta \cos\theta - \sin K\theta \sin\theta
\end{aligned}$$





$$(2) \quad U_{K-1} = \sin K\theta \cos \theta - \cos K\theta \sin \theta$$

$$U_K = \sin K\theta$$

$$U_{K+1} = \sin K\theta \cos \theta + \cos K\theta \sin \theta$$

b. By considering the expressions for  $T_K$ ,  $T_{K-1}$ , and  $U_K$ , one can get:

$$T_{K-1} = T_K \cos \theta + U_K \sin \theta, \text{ or}$$

$$U_K = (\sin \theta)^{-1} (-\cos \theta T_K + T_{K-1}), \text{ or}$$

$$U_K = (1 - \zeta^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} (\zeta T_K + T_{K-1}) \quad (C-10)$$

c. One can observe also that:

$$T_{K-1} = \cos \theta \left( \cos K\theta + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \sin K\theta \right)$$

$$T_{K+1} = \cos \theta \left( \cos K\theta - \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \sin K\theta \right)$$

Therefore, by adding these two equations, the recurrence relation needed, follows:

$$T_{K+1} + T_{K-1} = 2 \cos K\theta = 2T_K, \text{ or}$$

$$T_{K+1} = -2\zeta T_K - T_{K-1} \quad (C-11)$$

$$U_{K-1} = \cos \theta \left( U_K - \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \cos K\theta \right)$$

$$U_{K+1} = \cos \theta \left( U_K + \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \cos K\theta \right)$$

and again by addition it follows:

$$U_{K+1} = -2\zeta U_K - U_{K-1} \quad (C-12)$$



COMPUTER PROGRAM TO IMPLEMENT  
SOLUTIONS OF THE LINEAR-FEEDBACK  
CONTROL SYSTEM DISCUSSED IN SECTION III A

PROGRAM PARAM A/DELAY ACCOUNTING FOR T.DELAY ACTION.  
THE POWER UP TO WHICH THE IDELAY IS SHOWN IN THE CHARACTERISTIC  
EQUATION IS DENOTED BY IPOWER (OR LL SOMETIMES).  
THE TIME-DELAY CONSTANT IS DENOTED BY TDC  
THIS PROGRAM IS APPLICABLE TO POLYNOMIALS WHOSE COEFFICIENTS ARE OF THE  
FORM  $(EXP(-T\#S)) \cdot (B \cdot ALFA + C \cdot BETA) + D$  WHERE ALFA AND BETA ARE VARIABLE PARAMS.  
AND B, C, AND D ARE CONSTANTS. THIRD PARAMETERS CAN ALSO BE SPECIFIED  
AS INDICATED BELOW.  
THIS PROGRAM WILL PLOT ON ONE 9 INCH BY 15 INCH GRAPH, PARAMETER PLANE  
CURVES OF THE FOLLOWING TYPE. CONSTANT ZETA CURVES AS A FUNCTION OF OMEGA  
(THE STARTING VALUE OF OMEGA AND THE NUMBER OF DECADES THAT OMEGA WILL  
SPAN WILL BE SPECIFIED IN THE DATA CARDS). CONSTANT OMEGA CURVES FOR  
PRE-PROGRAMMED VALUES OF ZETA BETWEEN ZERO AND ONE, CONSTANT SIGMALINES,  
THE VALUES OF ZETA FOR THE CONSTANT ZETA  
CURVES. THE VALUES OF OMEGA FOR THE CONSTANT OMEGA CURVES, THE VALUES OF  
SIGMA FOR THE CONSTANT SIGMA LINES, AND THE VALUES OF BETA, OMEGA FOR THE  
CONSTANT ZETA OMEGA CURVES MAY BE SPECIFIED IN THE DATA CARDS.  
IF HOWEVER NO CURVES OF A CERTAIN TYPE ARE DESIRED, PLACE A ZERO  
IN THE APPROPRIATE COLUMN CARD CORRESPONDING TO THE NUMBER OF CURVES. IN  
THIS CASE SUBMIT A BLANK CARD FOR THE LABELS AND FOR THE CURVE VALUES  
IF NO CONSTANT ZETA CURVES ARE DESIRED, SET NZ AND ND TO ZERO, AND  
SUBMIT A BLANK CARD FOR THE ZETA LABELS, FOR THE ZETA CURVE VALUES, AND  
FOR THE STARTING VALUE OF OMEGA.  
ALL CURVES ARE PLOTTED ON THE SAME GRAPH.  
AN ADDITIONAL FEATURE OF THE PROGRAM IS THAT FAMILIES OF CONSTANTS OF A  
ZETA, OMEGA, SIGMA, AND ZETA-OMEGA CURVES MAY BE PLOTTED IN TERMS OF A  
THIRD PARAMETER. UP TO 10 VALUES OF THE THIRD PARAMETER MAY BE SPECIFIED  
THE THIRD PARAMETER MAY APPEAR LINEARLY OR NON-LINEARLY IN ANY OF THE  
COEFFICIENTS. THE X-AXIS VARIABLE IS ALFA AND THE Y-AXIS VARIABLE IS BETA  
CONSTANT SIGMA LINES WILL BE COMPUTED ONLY FOR THOSE VALUES OF SIGMA ALONG  
THE NEGATIVE REAL AXIS IN THE S-PLANE. THESE SIGMA VALUES SHOULD BE  
ENTERED IN THE DATA CARDS AS POSITIVE QUANTITIES HOWEVER  
THE FOLLOWING SYMBOLS ARE PERTINANT TO THE PROGRAM, CONSTANT ZETA CURVES  
ND- THE NUMBER OF DECADES SPANNED BY OMEGA FOR THE NUMBER OF CONSTANT  
ZETA, SIGMA, OMEGA, AND ZETA-OMEGA CURVES RESPECTIVELY, NZ- THE NUMBER OF  
VALUES OF THE THIRD PARAMETER, IXP- DISTANCE IN INCHES OF THE X-AXIS FROM  
THE BOTTOM OF THE GRAPH, IYRIGHT- THE DISTANCE IN INCHES OF THE Y-AXIS  
FROM THE LEFT SIDE OF THE GRAPH, LABZ, LABS, LABW, LABZW- THE LABELS FOR THE  
CONSTANT ZETA, SIGMA, OMEGA, AND ZETA-OMEGA CURVES, WN- THE STARTING VALUE

CC



OF OMEGA FOR THE CONSTANT ZETA CURVES, E-THE THIRD PAK AMELER, 00,00,00  
 ALPHA, BETA, AND CONSTANT COEFFICIENTS RESPECTIVELY.  
 IF A THIRD PARAMETER IS NOT SPECIFIED THE DATA CARDS ARE SUBMITTED IN THE  
 FOLLOWING MANNER.  
 CARD 1 THE FIRST LINE OF THE GRAPH TITLE (IN COLUMNS 1-48)  
 CARD 2 THE SECOND LINE OF THE GRAPH TITLE (IN COLUMNS 1-48)  
 CARD 3 IN 8110 FORMAT ENTER FROM LEFT TO RIGHT  
 NS NZW IXUP IYRIGHT  
 NO  
 CARD 4 IN COLUMN 10 ENTER A 1 IF PRINTOUT IS DESIRED. LEAVE BLANK IF NO  
 PRINTOUT IS DESIRED.  
 CARD 5 LABZ(20A4 FORMAT), LEAVE BLANK IF NZ=0  
 CARD 6 LABS(20A4 FORMAT), LEAVE BLANK IF NW=0  
 CARD 7 LABW(20A4 FORMAT), LEAVE BLANK CARD IF NZW=0  
 CARD 8 LABZW(20A4 FORMAT), LEAVE BLANK ZETA CURVES (8F10.5 FORMAT)  
 CARD 9 VALUES OF ZETA FOR CONSTANT SIGMA CURVES (8F10.5 FORMAT)  
 CARD 10 VALUES OF SIGMA FOR CONSTANT OMEGA CURVES (8F10.5 FORMAT)  
 CARD 11 VALUES OF OMEGA FOR CONSTANT ZETA-OMEGA CURVES (8F10.5 FORMAT)  
 CARD 12 VALUES OF ZETA-OMEGA FOR CONSTANT ZETA-OMEGA CURVES (8F10.5 FORMAT)  
 CARD 13 CONSTANT COEFFICIENTS IN ASCENDING ORDER (8F10.5 FORMAT)  
 CARD 14 ALPHA COEFFICIENTS IN ASCENDING ORDER (8F10.5 FORMAT)  
 CARD 15 BETA COEFFICIENTS IN ASCENDING ORDER (8F10.5 FORMAT)  
 CARD 16 OMIT  
 CARD 17 WN (E10.5 FORMAT)  
 CARD 18 XSCALE (E10.5 FORMAT, USE 1 SIGNIFICANT FIGURE)  
 CARD 19 YSCALE (E10.5 FORMAT, USE 1 SIGNIFICANT FIGURE)  
 CARD 20 IN 2110 FORMAT ENTER:  
 SCRAP  
 CARD 21 TDC (E10.5 FORMAT, USE 1 SIGNIFICANT FIGURE)  
 IF A THIRD PARAMETER IS SPECIFIED THE DATA CARDS ARE SUBMITTED IN  
 THE FOLLOWING MANNER.  
 CARD 1 SAME AS CARD 1 IN PREVIOUS SECTION  
 CARD 2 SAME AS CARD 2 IN PREVIOUS SECTION  
 CARD 3 SAME AS CARD 3 IN PREVIOUS SECTION  
 CARD 4 SAME, EXCEPT ENTER THE VALUE OF NZ IN COLUMNS 11, 20 (USE 1 FORMAT)  
 CARD 5 SUBMIT NE GROUPS OF LABELS WITH NZ LABELS IN EACH GROUP. SUBMIT  
 IN CONSECUTIVE ORDER. (20A4 FORMAT), SUBMIT BLANK CARD IF NZ=0  
 CARD 6 SAME AS CARD 5 ONLY NS IN EACH GROUP, SUBMIT BLANK CARD IF NS=0  
 CARD 7 SAME AS CARD 5 ONLY NW IN EACH GROUP, SUBMIT BLANK CARD IF NW=0  
 CARD 8 SAME AS CARD 5 ONLY NZW IN EACH GROUP, SUBMIT BLANK CARD IF NZW=0  
 CARD 9 SAME AS CARD 9 IN PREVIOUS SECTION  
 CARD 10 SAME AS CARD 10 IN THE PREVIOUS SECTION  
 CARD 11 SAME AS CARD 11 IN THE PREVIOUS SECTION  
 CARD 12 SAME AS CARD 12 IN THE PREVIOUS SECTION  
 CARD 13 OMIT  
 CARD 14 OMIT  
 CARD 15 OMIT  
 CARD 16 VALUES OF THE THIRD PARAMETER (8E10.5 FORMAT)  
 CARD 17 SAME AS CARD 17 IN PREVIOUS SECTION  
 CARD 18 SAME AS CARD 18 IN PREVIOUS SECTION



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CARD 19 SAME AS CARD 19 IN PREVIOUS SECTION
CARD 20 SAME AS CARD 20 IN PREVIOUS SECTION
CARD 21 SAME AS CARD 21 IN PREVIOUS SECTION
SUBROUTINE COEFF. FOR EXAMPLE, THE CHARACTERISTIC EQUATION MUST BE ENTERED
WHERE E CORRESPONDS TO THE THIRD PARAMETER,  $DJ(5)*S^4 +$ 
 $(BJ(4)*ALPHA + CJ(4))*BETA + DJ(4)*S^3 + (BJ(3)*ALPHA + CJ(3))*BETA +$ 
 $DJ(3)*S^2 + (BJ(2)*ALPHA + CJ(2))*BETA + DJ(2)*S + (BJ(1)*ALPHA +$ 
 $CJ(1))*BETA + DJ(1) = 0$ 
THE COEFFICIENTS OF THE ABOVE EQUATION WOULD BE ENTERED EACH ON A
SEPARATE CARD BETWEEN THE COMMON AND RETURN CARDS IN SUBROUTINE COEFF.
FOR EXAMPLE
COMMON E,BJ,CJ,DJ
BJ(1) = 2.*E
CJ(1) = 1.
DJ(1) = 3.
BJ(2) = 10.*E
CJ(2) = 286.*E
DJ(2) = 0.
BJ(3) = 1.
CJ(3) = E
DJ(3) = 10.
BJ(4) = 1.
CJ(4) = 0.
DJ(4) = 1.
BJ(5) = 0.
CJ(5) = 0.
DJ(5) = 1.
RETURN
REAL*4 DUM/1H1/, LABEL/4H /
REAL*8 ITITLF(12), B(350), ZETA(100), LABZ(100,10),
DIMENSION A(350), LABS(100,10), W(100), LABW(100,10), ZW(100), LABZW(100,10),
1 SIGMA(100), LABS(100,10), EJ(100), BJ(100), CJ(100), DJ(100)
2 AG(350), BG(350), EV(100), SV(100), SV(100), RV(100),
DIMENSION BV(100), SV(100), SV(100), RV(100),
COMMON E,BJ,CJ,DJ
FORMAT(1H1,17THE INPUT DATA IS,////)
DO 1485 N=1,10
RV(100,N)=0.0
BV(100,N)=0.0
SV(100,N)=0.0
RV(100,N)=0.0
SV(100,N)=0.0
BV(100,N)=0.0
1485 CONTINUE
WRITE(6,250)

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200 FORMAT (1X,6A8)
   READ (5,200) (ITITLE(I),I=1,6)
   READ (5,200) (ITITLE(I),I=7,12)
   WRITE (6,200) (ITITLE(I),I=1,6)
   WRITE (6,200) (ITITLE(I),I=7,12)
251 FORMAT (//.8X,2HND,8X,2HNO,8X,2HNZ,8X,2HNS,8X,2HNB,7X,3HNZW,6X
14HXUP,3X,7HRIGHT,/)
   WRITE (6,251)
203 FORMAT (8110)
   READ (5,203) ND,NO,NZ,NS,NW,NZW,IXUP,IYRITE
   NC=NO+1
   WRITE (6,203) ND,NO,NZ,NS,NW,NZW,IXUP,IYRITE
463 FORMAT (//.4X,6HIPRINT,/)
   WRITE (6,463)
464 FORMAT (2110)
   READ (5,464) IPRINT,NE
   WRITE (6,464) IPRINT,NE
   IF(NF) 6789,6789,6790
6789 NFE=NE+1
   GO TO 6791
6790 NFE=NE
6791 AIXUP=IXUP
   AIVRIT=IYRITE
252 FORMAT (//.10X,' LABZ ',/)
   WRITE (6,252)
205 FORMAT (20A4)
   READ (5,205) ((LABZ(M,N),M=1,NZ),N=1,NEE)
   WRITE (6,205) ((LABZ(M,N),M=1,NZ),N=1,NEE)
207 FORMAT (//.10X,' LABS ',/)
   WRITE (6,207) ((LABS(M,N),M=1,NS),N=1,NEE)
   READ (5,205) ((LABS(M,N),M=1,NS),N=1,NEE)
   WRITE (6,205) ((LABS(M,N),M=1,NS),N=1,NEE)
208 FORMAT (//.10X,' LABW ',/)
   WRITE (6,208) ((LABW(M,N),M=1,NW),N=1,NEE)
   READ (5,205) ((LABW(M,N),M=1,NW),N=1,NEE)
   WRITE (6,205) ((LABW(M,N),M=1,NW),N=1,NEE)
209 FORMAT (//.10X,' LABZW ',/)
   WRITE (6,209) ((LABZW(M,N),M=1,NZW),N=1,NEE)
   READ (5,205) ((LABZW(M,N),M=1,NZW),N=1,NEE)
   WRITE (6,205) ((LABZW(M,N),M=1,NZW),N=1,NEE)
206 FORMAT (8F10.5)
210 FORMAT (//.10X,' ZETA ',/)
   WRITE (6,210) (ZETA(M),M=1,NZ)
   READ (5,206) (ZETA(M),M=1,NZ)
   WRITE (6,206) (ZETA(M),M=1,NZ)
872 FORMAT (//.10X,' SIGMA ',/)
   WRITE (6,872) (SIGMA(M),M=1,NS)
   READ (5,206) (SIGMA(M),M=1,NS)
   WRITE (6,206) (SIGMA(M),M=1,NS)

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212 FORMAT(/,10X,' W ',//)
WRITE(6,212)
READ(5,206) (W(M),M=1,NW)
WRITE(6,206) (W(M),M=1,NW)
213 FORMAT(/,10X,' ZW ',//)
WRITE(6,213) (ZW(M),M=1,NZW)
READ(5,206) (ZW(M),M=1,NZW)
WRITE(6,206) (ZW(M),M=1,NZW)
IF(NE)214,214,9600
214 WRITE(6,9214)
9214 FORMAT(/,10X,' CONSTANT COEFFICIENTS IN ASCENDING ORDER, '//)
READ(5,206) (DJ(N),N=1,NC)
WRITE(6,206) (DJ(N),N=1,NC)
215 FORMAT(/,10X,' ALPHA ',//)
WRITE(6,215) (ALPHA, N=1,NC)
READ(5,206) (BJ(N), N=1,NC)
WRITE(6,206) (BJ(N), N=1,NC)
216 FORMAT(/,10X,' BETA ',//)
WRITE(6,216) (CJ(N),N=1,NC)
READ(5,206) (CJ(N),N=1,NC)
WRITE(6,206) (CJ(N),N=1,NC)
GO TO 23
6 FORMAT(/,10X,' VALUES OF THE THIRD PARAMETER ',//)
9600 WRITE(6,6)
READ(5,206) (EJ(N),N=1,NE)
WRITE(6,206) (EJ(N),N=1,NE)
23 CONTINUE
217 FORMAT(/,10X,' INITIAL VALUE OF OMEGA ',//)
WRITE(6,217)
199 FORMAT(E10.5)
READ(5,199) WN
WRITE(6,199) WN
218 FORMAT(/,10X,' XSCALE ',//)
WRITE(6,218)
READ(5,199) XSCALE
WRITE(6,199) XSCALE
418 FORMAT(/,10X,' YSCALE ',//)
WRITE(6,418)
READ(5,199) YSCALE
WRITE(6,199) YSCALE
419 FORMAT(/,10X,' POWER UP TO WHICH T.DELAY SHOWS ',//)
WRITE(6,419)
READ(5,464) IPPOWER,SCRAP
WRITE(6,464) IPPOWER,SCRAP
420 LL=IPPOWER
FORMAT(/,10X,' TIME-DELAY CONSTANT ',//)
WRITE(6,420) TDC
READ(5,199) TDC
WRITE(6,199) TDC

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DO 4 ME=1,NNE
E=EJ(ME)
IF(NE) 8,8,9
9 CALL COEF
8 DO 5 M=1,NZ
J=0
JG=0
WNA=WN
DO 49 L=1,300
BR1=0.0
BR2=0.0
CC1=0.0
CC2=0.0
DI=0.0
D2=0.0
XXX = TDC*WNA*ZETA(M)
URTYYY=1-ZETA(M)*2
RTYYY=SQRJ(RTYYY)
YYY=IDC*WNA*RTYYY
AMPLIF=EXP(XXX)
NL=LL+1
DO 10 N=1,NL
LLL = N-1
IF(LLL)2,3,2
3 XKO=COS(YYY)
XK1=RTYYY*SIN(YYY)-ZETA(M)*COS(YYY)
SVFCTO(1)=- (RTYYY*SIN(YYY)+ZETA(M)*COS(YYY))
2 XK2=-2.0*ZETA(M)*XK1-XKO
BB1=BJ(N)*WNA*LLL*XKO+BB1
CC1=CJ(N)*WNA*LLL*XKO+CC1
RVFCTO(N)=XKO*ZETA(M)
SVFCTO(N+1)=XKO
RVFCTO(N)=BVECTO(N)+SVECTO(N)
XKO=XK1
XK1=XK2
10 CONTINUE
DO 130 NN=1,NL
LLL=NN-1
BB2=BJ(NN)*WNA*LLL*RVFCTO(NN)+BB2
CC2=CJ(NN)*WNA*LLL*RVFCTO(NN)+CC2
130 CONTINUE
R1=AMPLIF*BR1
B2=AMPLIF*BR2
C1=AMPLIF*CC1
C2=AMPLIF*CC2
DO 135 NNN=1,NC
K=NNN-1
IF(K)136,137,136

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137 TKO=1.0
   BVICTO(NC+1)=0.0
   TK1=-ZETA(M)
   SVICTO(1)=-ZETA(M)
136 TK2=-2.0*ZETA(M)*TK1-TKO
   D1=DJ(NNN)*WNA*K*TKO+D1
   BVICTO(NNN)=TKO*ZETA(M)
   SVICTO(NNN+1)=TKO
   RVICTO(NNN)=BVICTO(NNN)+SVICTO(NNN)
   TKO=TK1
   TK1=TK2
135 CONTINUE
   DO 138 NNN=1,NC
   K=NNN-1
   D2=DJ(NNN)*WNA*K*RVICTO(NNN)+D2
138 CONTINUE
   Z=1.0E-60
   IF(ABS (B1*C2-B2*C1)-Z) 11,11,12
11 GO TO 49
12 J=J+1
   A(J)=(C1*D2-C2*D1)/(B1*C2-B2*C1)
   B(J)=(B2*D1-B1*D2)/(B1*C2-B2*C1)
   IF(IPRINT)47,47,2000
1001 FORMAT(5E20.5)
2000 WRITE(6,1001) A(J),B(J),WNA,ZETA(M),E
447 IF(FRAN-A(J)) 777,777,49
777 IF(A(J)-AROE) 778,778,49
778 IF(CHEK-B(J)) 779,779,49
779 IF(B(J)-ADAVE) 800,800,49
800 JG=JG+1
   AG(JG)=A(J)
   BG(JG)=B(J)
   WNA=G*WNA
49 CALL DRAW(JG,AG,BG,MOD;0,LABZ(M,ME),ITITLE,XSCALE,YSCALE,IXUP,
11 WRITE(2,2.9,15.0,LAST)
5 CONTINUE
4 CONTINUE
704 IF(NS) 22,22,601
601 IF(IPRINT)448,448,9221
9221 WRITE(6,221)
221 FORMAT(1H1,10X,'CONSTANT SIGMA CURVES
222 FORMAT(15X,5HALPHA,16X,4HBETA,15X,5HSIGMA,5X,15THIRD PARAMETER,
1//)
448 WRITE(6,222)
   DO 7 ME=1,NEE
   E=EJ(ME)
   IF (NE) 13,13,14
14 CALL COEF
13 DO 22 M=1,NS

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DD=0.0
CC1=0.0
BB1=0.0
EXPAMP=-TDC*SIGMA(M)
AMPLIF=EXP(EXPAMP)
DO 21 N=1,NC
K=N-1
DUMMY5=0.0
IF(SIGMA(M).NE.0.0) DUMMY5=SIGMA(M)**K
DD=(-1.0)**K*DJ(N)*DUMMY5+DD
21 CONTINUE
NL=LL+1
DO 181 NN=1,NL
LLL=NN-1
DUMMY5=0.0
IF(SIGMA(M).NE.0.0) DUMMY5=SIGMA(M)**K
CC1=(-1.0)**LLL*CJ(NN)*DUMMY5+CC1
BB1=(-1.0)**LLL*BJ(NN)*DUMMY5+BB1
181 CONTINUE
BB=AMPLIF*BB1
CC=AMPLIF*CC1
J=1
A(J)=-DD/BB
R(J)=0.0
IF(IPRINT)449,449,9002
9002 WRITE(6,1002) A(J), B(J), SIGMA(M),E
1002 FORMAT(4E20.5)
449 IF(AROG-A(J)) 110,110,310
110 IF(A(J)-AROG) 111,111,310
111 J=J+1
310 A(J)=0.0
B(J)=-DD/CC
IF(IPRINT)450,450,451
451 WRITE(6,1002) A(J), B(J), SIGMA(M),E
450 IF(ADAV-B(J)) 112,112,311
112 IF(B(J)-ADAVE) 113,113,311
113 J=J+1
311 B(J)=(15.0-AIXUP)*YSCALE
A(J)=(-CC*B(J)-DD)/BB
IF(IPRINT)452,452,453
453 WRITE(6,1002) A(J), B(J), SIGMA(M),E
452 IF(AROG-A(J)) 114,114,312
114 IF(A(J)-AROG) 117,117,312
312 A(J)=(9.0-AIYRIT)*XSCALE
B(J)=(-BB*A(J)-DD)/CC
IF(IPRINT)454,454,455

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455 WRITE (6,4002) A(J), B(J), SIGMA(M),E
454 IF(ADAV-B(J)) 116,116,118
116 IF(B(J)-ADAVE) 117,117,118
118 J=J-1
117 CALL DRAW(J,A,B,2.0,LABS(M,ME), ITITLE,XSCALE,YSCALE,IXUP,IYRITE
1.2,2.9,15.0, LAST)
22 CONTINUE
7 CONTINUE
IF(N7W)9999,9999,602
602 IF(IPRINT)456,456,9225
9225 WRITE(6,225)
225 FORMAT(1H1.26HCONSTANT ZETA-OMEGA CURVES,/)
226 FORMAT(15X,5HALPHA,16X,4HBETA,10X,10HZETA-OMEGA,5X,
115THIRD PARAMETER,/)
WRITE(6,226)
456 DO 15 ME=1,NEE
E=EJ(ME)
IF(NE) 16,16,17
17 CALL COEF
16 DO 31 M=1,NZW
J=0
JG=0
AZETA=.00333
DO 35 L=1,299
WN=ZW(M)/AZETA
D1=0.0
D2=0.0
C1=0.0
C2=0.0
B1=0.0
B2=0.0
DO 32 N=1,NC
K=N-1
IF(K) 33,34,33
34 Q1=0.0
33 Q=-1.0/WN**2
D2=DJ(N)*Q1+D2
C2=CJ(N)*Q1+B2
B2=BJ(N)*Q1+B2
D1=DJ(N)*Q+D1
C1=CJ(N)*Q+C1
B1=BJ(N)*Q+B1
Q2=-2.0*ZW(M)*Q1-WN**2*Q
Q=Q1
32 Q1=Q2
IF(ABS (B1*C2-B2*C1)-Z) 35,35,29
29 J=J+1
A(J)=(C1*D2-C2*D1)/(B1*C2-B2*C1)
B(J)=(B2*D1-B1*D2)/(B1*C2-B2*C1)

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1 IF(IPRINT)457,457,458
458 WRITE (6,1002) A(J), B(J), ZW(M),E
457 IF(FRAN-A(J)) 104,104,35
104 IF(A(J)-AROE) 105,105,35
105 IF(CHEK-B(J)) 106,106,35
106 IF(B(J)-ADAVE) 107,107,35
107 JG=JG+1
AG(JG)=A(J)
BG(JG)=B(J)
35 AZETA=AZEIA+.00333
37 CALL DRAW(JG,AG,BG,2,0,LABZW(M,ME),ITITLE,XSCALE,YSCALE,IXUP,
1 IYRITE,2,2,9,15,0,LAST)
31 CONTINUE
15 CONTINUE
9999 IF(NW)1006,1006,702
702 IF(IPRINT)459,459,9223
9223 WRITE(6,223)
223 FORMAT(1H1,21HCONSTANT OMEGA CURVES,/)
224 FORMAT(15X,5HALPHA,16X,4HBETA,15X,5HOMEGA,15X,5HAZETA,5X,
1 15THIRD PARAMETER,/)
WRITE(6,224)
459 DO 18 ME=1,NEE
E=EJ(ME)
IF(NF) 19,19,20
20 CALL COEF
19 DO 24 M=1,NW
J=0
JG=0
AZEFTA=0.0
DO 25 L=1,300
BB1=0.0
BB2=0.0
CC1=0.0
CC2=0.0
D1=0.0
D2=0.0
XXX = TDC * AZETA*W(M)
URTYYY=1-AZEFTA*2
RTYYY= SORT(RTTY)
YYY = TDC*W(M)*RTYYY
AMPLIF=EXP(XXX)
NL = LL+1
DO 26 N=1,NL
LLL=N-1
IF(LLL)27,28,27
28 XKO=COS(YYY)
BVECTO(NL+1)=0.0
XK1=RTYYY*SIN(YYY)-AZEFTA*COS(YYY)

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27  SVECTO(1)=- (RTYYY* SIN(YYY)+AZETA*COS(YYY))
    XK2=-2.0*AZETA*XK1-XK0
    881=BJ(N)*W(M)*#LLL*#XK0+881
    CC1=CJ(N)*W(M)*#LLL*#XK0+CC1
    BVFCTO(N)=XK0*AZETA
    SVECTO(N+1)=XK0
    RVECTO(N)=BVECTO(N)+SVECTO(N)
    XK0=XK1
    XK1=XK2
26  CONTINUE
    DO 150 NN=1,NL
    LLL=NN-1
    BR2=BJ(NN)*W(M)*#LLL*RVECTO(NN)+B82
    CC2=CJ(NN)*W(M)*#LLL*RVECTO(NN)+CC2
150  CONTINUE
    B1=AMPLIF*B81
    B2=AMPLIF*B82
    C1=AMPLIF*CC1
    C2=AMPLIF*CC2
    DO 155 NNN=1,NC
    K=NNN-1
    IF(K)156,157,156
157  TK0=1.0
    BVICTO(NC+1)=0.0
    TK1=-AZETA
    SVICTO(1)=-AZETA
156  TK2=-2.0*AZETA*TK1-TK0
    D1=DJ(NNN)*W(M)*#K*TK0+D1
    BVICTO(NNN)=TK0*AZETA
    SVICTO(NNN+1)=TK0
    RVICTO(NNN)=BVICTO(NNN)+SVICTO(NNN)
    TK0=TK1
    TK1=TK2
155  CONTINUE
    DO 158 NNNN=1,NC
    K=NNNN-1
    D2=DJ(NNNN)*W(M)*#K*RVICTO(NNNN)+D2
158  CONTINUE
30  J=J+1
    IF(ABS (B1*C2-B2*C1)-Z)25,25,30
    A(J)=(C1*D2-C2*D1)/(B1*C2-B2*C1)
    B(J)=(B2*D1-B1*D2)/(B1*C2-B2*C1)
    IF(IPRINT)460,460,461
461  WRITE (6,1001) A(J), B(J),W(M), AZETA ,E
460  IF(FRAN-A(J)) 100,100,25
100  IF(A(J)-AR0GE) 101,101,25
101  IF(CHEK-B(J)) 102,102,25

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102 IF(B(J)-ADAVE) 103.103.25
103 JG=JG+1
    AG(JG)=A(J)
    BG(JG)=B(J)
25 AZETA=AZETA+.00333
24 CALL DRAW(JG,AG,BG,MOD,0,LABW(M,ME),ITITLE,XSCALE,YSCALE,IXUP,
1 IYRITE,2.2.9.15.0, LAST)
18 CONTINUE
1006 AG(1)=0.0
    BG(1)=0.0
    AG(2)=XSCALE
    BG(2)=0.0
    CALL DRAW(2,AG,BG,3.0,LABEL,ITITLE,XSCALE,YSCALE,IXUP,
1 IYRITE,2.2.9.15.0, LAST)
    GO TO 1485
END

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SUBROUTINE COEF

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DIMENSION BJ(100),CJ(100),DJ(100)
COMMON E,BJ,CJ,DJ
CJ(1)=0.488
DJ(1)=-147.8
BJ(1)=0.0
CJ(2)=0.444
DJ(2)=3165.6
BJ(2)=0.488
CJ(3)=1.0
DJ(3)=5087.4
BJ(3)=0.444
CJ(4)=0.0
DJ(4)=8973.66
BJ(4)=1.0
CJ(5)=0.0
DJ(5)=4941.3
BJ(5)=0.0
CJ(6)=0.0
DJ(6)=98.46
BJ(6)=0.0
CJ(7)=0.0
DJ(7)=1.0
BJ(7)=0.0
RETURN
END
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## APPENDIX E

### SOLUTION TO A QUARTIC EQUATION

1. A quartic equation

$$X^4 + aX^3 + bX^2 + cX + d \quad (E-1)$$

has the resolvent cubic equation

$$Y^3 - bY^2 + (ac-4d)Y - a^2d + 4bd - c^2 = 0 \quad (E-2)$$

2. By using the attached solution to a cubic equation, one can specify arbitrarily a solution  $y = y_r$ , to equation (E-2) and then define

$$R = \sqrt{\frac{a^2}{4} - b} + y_r$$

3. The four roots to (E-1), will then be:

$$x = \frac{a}{4} + \frac{R}{2} \pm \frac{D}{2}$$

$$x = -\frac{a}{4} - \frac{R}{2} \pm \frac{E}{2}$$

4. The parameters E and D, take the following values:

- a.  $R \neq 0$

$$D = \sqrt{\frac{3a^2}{4} - R^2 - 2b} + \frac{4ab-8c-a^3}{4R}$$

$$E = \sqrt{\frac{3a^2}{4} - R^2 - 2b} - \frac{4ab-8c-a^3}{4R}$$

- b.  $R = 0$

$$D = \sqrt{\frac{3a^2}{4} - 2b} + 2\sqrt{y_r^2 - 4d}$$

$$E = \sqrt{\frac{3a^2}{4} - 2b} - 2\sqrt{y_r^2 - 4d}$$





# ATTACHMENT TO APPENDIX E

## SOLUTION TO A CUBIC EQUATION

1. Consider the Cubic:

$$Y^3 + pY^2 + qY + r = 0 \quad (E-1)$$

$$\text{Let: } y = x - \frac{p}{3}. \quad (E-2)$$

Calculate:

$$y^2 = x^2 - \frac{2px}{3} + \frac{p^2}{9}$$

$$y^3 = x^3 - x^2p + \frac{xp^2}{3} - \frac{p^3}{27}$$

and substitute into (E-1) , it follows:

$$x^3 + x(q - \frac{p^2}{3}) + \frac{2p^3}{27} - \frac{pq}{3} + r$$

2. The cubic is now in the form:

$$x^3 + ax + b = 0, \text{ where } a = q - \frac{p^2}{3}, \text{ and } b = \frac{2p^3}{27} - \frac{pq}{3} + r.$$

3. Letting:

$$A = \sqrt[3]{-\frac{b}{2} + \sqrt{\frac{b^2}{4} + \frac{a^3}{27}}}, \quad M = \sqrt[3]{-\frac{b}{2} - \sqrt{\frac{b^2}{4} + \frac{a^3}{27}}}$$

The three solutions for y come out to be:

$$y_1 = A + M - \frac{p}{3}$$

$$y_2 = -\frac{A+M}{2} + \frac{A-M}{2}\sqrt{-3}$$

$$y_3 = -\frac{A+M}{2} - \frac{A-M}{2}\sqrt{-3}$$



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After a brief introduction on the parameter plane methods, the behavior of simple systems with time delay has been initially studied by the root-loci method and then the state of the art of parameter plane methods with time delay has been presented.

A variation of the solution in the state of the art presentation has been derived and an appropriate digital computer program has been constructed. As an extension of studies in the parameter plane, a three variable parameter system has been approached by using basic descriptive geometry properties and simple illustrative examples have been worked out in the parameter space.

Finally, a real life system with time delay has been analysed and redesigned by parameter plane methods.





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